Weather
Fine weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 63.7 and the minimum 41.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 62.4 and 59.9.

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The Mail Box
MAILS for America-Europe, Str. Katori Maru, Apr. 16.
FOR Europe and way ports, via Str. Dilwara today.
FROM America and Europe, Str. Suwa Maru today.
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BERLIN SAYS FRENCH HAVE SEIZED TWO MORE TOWNS

Declares Invading Force Has Extended Scope Of Occupation

REPORT IS DENIED

Time Limit For Disarming Of German Army Expired April 10

(*Reuter's Service*)

Berlin, April 11.—The Lokalanzeiger reports a further extension of the French occupation of German towns. Stockstadt and Babennausen are said to have already been occupied and French troops are approaching Aschaffenburg, marching southwards from Darmstadt.

Paris, April 11.—M. Millerand, replying to the German Charge d'Affaires, denied that France had any intention to extend the occupation of German towns.

Paris, April 12.—M. Millerand today assured Lord Derby, the British Ambassador, that the evacuation of the German towns would be carried out simultaneously and that the conditions existing when the French intervened would be restored.

MILLERAND'S NOTE IMPRESSES BRITISH

Paris, April 11.—Well-informed circles here consider that there is reason to hope that M. Millerand's note will close the incident with regard to the occupation of Frankfort and Darmstadt. The newspapers state that, when sending M. Millerand's note to England, Lord Derby also sent a draft of a suggested conciliatory reply, which the London Cabinet approved and immediately returned to Paris.

The London correspondents of the French newspapers state that M. Millerand's note has created an excellent impression in British political circles where it is believed that a full agreement will be rapidly reached.

Paris, April 9.—The period provided for by the protocol of August last for the disarmament of the greater part of the German Army and particularly for the withdrawal of the German forces allowed in the Ruhr Basin, expires tomorrow.

GERMANY MUST CUT SIZE OF ITS ARMY

The French state that there are still about 40,000 troops in the neutral zone with an additional 60,000 in the area between Muenster and Osnabrueck.

These troops must be disarmed immediately and the German Army reduced to the maximum allowed of 200,000 men, inclusive of all Sicherheitswehr (public security guard), Freikorps (volunteer guard), Buergerwehr (citizens' guard) and student organisations bearing arms.

Paris, April 12.—Lord Derby this afternoon delivered the reply of the British Government to the second French note. It appears that as a result of the presentation of this third British note, the incident is regarded to be on the point of settlement.

London, April 12.—Mr. Bonar Law was bombarded with questions in the House of Commons today on the Anglo-French situation.

REICHSWEHR EVACUATION OF ESSEN LOOKED FOR

Viscount Curzon asked whether Lord Derby would attend the Conference of Ambassadors in Paris. Mr. Bonar Law asked that that question should be postponed for a couple of days as this particular point had not been discussed.

Col. Claude Lowther (Coalition Unionist) asked whether the German Army, including the Reichswehr, the militia and the police, numbered 2,000,000. Mr. Bonar Law replied that he did not think that there was a shadow of foundation for such a suggestion.

Replying to Colonel J. C. Wedgewood (Labor) Mr. Bonar Law said that the Government's information was that the Reichswehr would shortly be withdrawn from the Essen district but that he was not aware whether it had actually been withdrawn.

British May Send Ex-German Warships On Tour Of Empire

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 10.—The Admiralty is considering a proposal to send certain of the surrendered German warships on a tour of the Empire.

Bolsheviki Could Not Fight Poland Because Of Industrial Status

Food Problem In Cities Is Acute, Transportation System Has Broken Down And Disease Is Rampant Through Russia—Need For Help From Foreign Capital Confessed By Leaders

Mr. Lincoln Eyre, Paris correspondent of the New York World, the first correspondent to enter Russia and make a full investigation of conditions in that sorely tried country and the results of Bolshevism since the end of the world war, tells today why the Bolsheviki are unable to stage a big scale offensive against Poland or any other nation. He reveals for the first time how the capitalistic class is growing rapidly in Communist circles and how Lenin and Trotsky, wielding more power than any Tsar, confess their inability to suppress or even control it. This is the fourth article in Mr. Eyre's series on conditions in the Russia of today, first published by The New York World. The fifth will appear in tomorrow's issue of THE CHINA PRESS. *In this Mr. Eyre will explain how the Bolsheviki "upper ten" holds sway in Kremlin, living in grandeur and smiling upon profiteers.*

BY LINCOLN EYRE

RIGA, Russia (by courier to Berlin), February 25.—I have just completed a ten weeks' sojourn in Red Russia. The following impressions of today's situation there stand out:

1.—The Bolshevists have stopped cheering the Red army's victories and are turning to the gigantic task of rebuilding Russia's shattered economic structure in general and her railroad system in particular.

2.—They could not, if they would, stage a large scale offensive against Poland or any other neighbor, because the nation lacks industrial strength to support such an undertaking.

3.—All Russia is feverishly awaiting a definite pronouncement from the Allies relative to the Supreme Council's decision to lift the blockade.

4.—The food problem is hideously acute, yet not quite so critical as at the outset of the winter. In Moscow, Petrograd and other industrial centers some 8,000,000 human beings, of whom only a tiny fraction are Bolshevist, are slowly but surely starving to death. There are abundant food stocks in the south and east, but they cannot be carried in sufficient quantity over the semi-paralysed railroads.

Mortality Rate Increasing Rapidly

5.—Fuel is slightly less scarce than it was two months ago. The lack of heat, however, is helping the food shortage to increase the mortality rate, which is likely to attain 30 percent in Moscow before spring.

6.—Disease is rampant, and the typhus epidemic in Siberia, where Kolchak left many tens of thousands of victims behind him in his retreat, is spreading swiftly westward. Owing to the absence of medical supplies, the epidemic can be combated only by quarantine.

7.—There is iron law and order all over Russia, neither anarchy nor chaos being visible. The administration by the unwieldy Soviet bureaucracy, however, reveals many inconsistencies and much incoherence.

8.—With the recent abolition of the death penalty, the Red terror, long since bleached to pale pink, came to a definite end. Such is the omnipotence of the Soviets that it is no longer necessary for them to terrorise their opponents into obedience.

9.—Lenin, the thinker and creator, and Trotsky, the organiser and executive, wield a more absolute power than any Tsar. Despite several disagreements, the two are closer than they have ever been. They are the only really strong men detectable among the Bolshevist or anywhere else in Russia. That their strength is greater than ever is demonstrated by the amazing program for the militarisation of labor that they have just entered upon; a program which when first proposed aroused the Communist Party's instant antagonism, but which in a few days the dictators easily persuaded their disciples to support.

Begs Poland To Make Peace

Emerging from Russia I find that the outside world is apparently much intrigued as to the Bolshevist intentions with regard to Poland. There seems to be a widespread belief in the probability of a Red drive into that country. Inside Russia, on the other hand, everybody—not merely the Bolshevist—is pretty well convinced that the Poles contemplate expanding offensive operations begun with the storming of the Dvinsk. Reports that Marshal Foch is going to Warsaw to direct a Polish invasion of Russia are rife in Moscow.

It is hard to reconcile the Soviet Government's alleged offensive schemes with its radio messages inviting, indeed almost beseeching, the Polish Cabinet to follow the lead of Esthonia, Latvia and Lithuania in a discussion of peace. But, however keen their desire to strike at Poland might be, the Bolshevist could not give way to it at this juncture, for the simple reason that their overstrained industries and railroads would collapse completely under the additional pressure necessarily entailed by such important military activities. Trotsky himself defined the industrial situation as a race between economic reconstruction and reversion to savagery. He added that unless urgent and heroic steps were taken the latter would win; meaning thereby that the railroads would stop and urban factories would be deprived consequently of fuel and raw materials necessary to their existence.

A far-reaching inquiry convinces me that the danger of the cities actually perishing through stoppage of means of communication with the food-producing rural districts is a very real one unless Russia gets peace and resumption of trade in the near future with those countries that can give her locomotives and machinery, which are her first requirement. And if the cities go under and industrial workers have to go back to villages to live, the problem of getting the erstwhile empire on its feet may prove insoluble for long years to come.

Want American Trade Most

The Bolshevist freely confess their desperate need for help from foreign capitalism. They have demonstrated their willingness to give almost any concessions short of political annihilation to foreign capitalists in franchises granted Esthonia under the peace treaty recently signed at Dorpat. Similar bounties are to be handed to the Letts and Lithuanians when their countries conclude negotiations now under way with the Soviets, and which are practically certain to result in the establishment of peace.

It is America, however, with whom the dictators of the proletariat are most anxious to deal commercially. American manufacturers, they feel, can supply their wants more quickly and better than any others.

Already there have gone forth from the Kremlin, through secret channels, orders for hundreds of American locomotives and other railroad material, to be paid for in gold on delivery. The Bolshevist are confident that once they have sufficient rolling stock to bring their grain and minerals to ports, the problem of foreign trade will be swiftly

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RAIL STRIKERS IN AMERICA WARNED BY GOVERNMENT

Men Told To Return To Work Or Look For Other Employment

SITUATION ACUTE

Hudson Tubes Affected And Switching Crews Are Called Out

(*Reuter's Service*)

Chicago, April 13.—District-Attorney Charles F. Clyne has informed the leaders of the railroadmen on strike in the Chicago district that they must either return to work or else consider their positions as vacated and seek employment elsewhere. He stated that the Government demanded that the train service be restored and would assist the railroads in filling the places of the men failing to return to work.

Washington, April 12.—The Post Office announces that the railroad strike has not seriously affected the delivery of mails.

Chicago, April 12.—It is stated that more freight has been moved since the strike of 9,000 employes in the stock-yards than when they were at work.

Officials of the trainmen's unions deny the report that the Vice-President of the Trainmen, Mr. Whitney, stated that the strikers would return to work in a body as soon as it could be arranged.

Detroit, April 12.—The local electric company has cut off all power from non-essential industries and reduced the street lighting owing to a strike of switchmen.

PASSENGER SWITCHMEN ARE ORDERED OUT

Columbus, Ohio, April 12.—The Railway Yardsmen's Association has called out all the passenger train switching crews.

New York, April 11.—The railway situation is acute owing to the curtailment of train services and the embargo on freight express services. Mr. Gompers, the Labor leader, has gone to Cleveland to help the brotherhood officials to control the men. In the meantime the railway officials are refusing to negotiate with the unions in revolt which claim to represent the strikers. Federal officials promise to intervene whenever necessary.

New York, April 10.—At a meeting of railwaymen at Cleveland the leaders of four railway unions accused the strikers of attempting to destroy the trainmen's and switchmen's unions for the purpose of establishing one big railway union.

The strike has now spread to the Hudson tubes between New York, Jersey City and Long Island.

Council Announces New Hotel Ruling

Immoral Conduct Specifically Prohibited In Condition For Licenses

A new regulation of the Municipal Council which bears significant relationship to the report of the Vice Commission, recently presented to the meeting of the ratepayers, is an amendment of the conditions imposed in connection with hotel licenses. The new regulation for hotels and taverns is as follows:

"That no drunkenness, noise, disorderly *or immoral* conduct, gambling, prize fight or boxing competition be permitted on the premises."

The new regulation becomes effective today.

Mackay On Council Succeeding Edkins

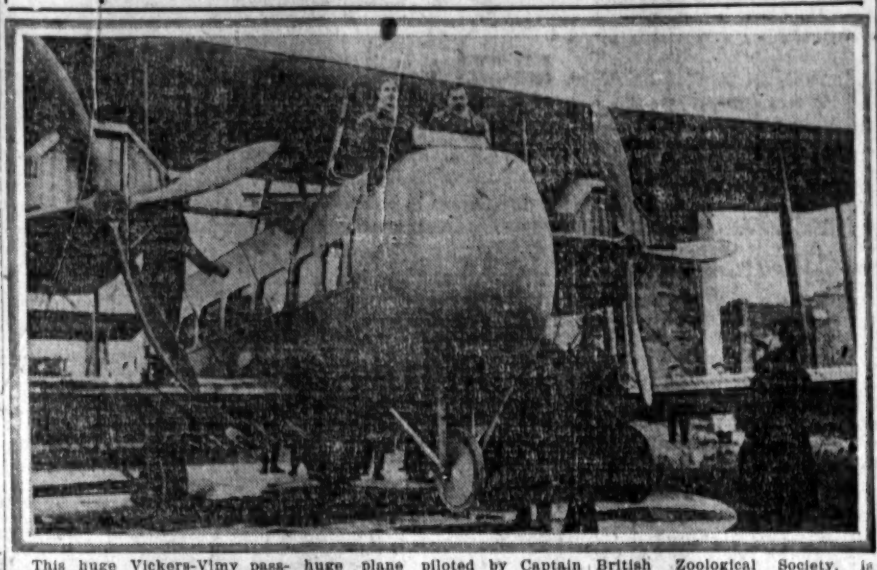
Mr. E. F. Mackay has been appointed a member of the Municipal Council to fill the place of Mr. G. T. M. Edkins who has resigned his seat due to his early departure from Shanghai. The appointment is announced in today's Municipal Gazette.

Thornton Selected By Liberals To Run At Next Election

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 10.—The Tavistock Liberal Association has adopted Mr. Maxwell Thornton, a former member of the Straits Settlements Legislature, as their candidate for the next election.

Big Plane Starts Exploration Flight Over Africa



This huge Vickers-Vimy passenger plane is attempting a flight from Cairo, Egypt, to Cape Town, the entire length of the African continent. The huge plane piloted by Captain Broome and Captain Cockerill shown in the cockpit, previously flew from London to Cairo. Professor Chalmers Mitchell, of the British Zoological Society, is making the trip as observer. The plane is flying over many of the unexplored regions in the heart of Africa.

ANFU CLUB DEAL WITH JAPAN FOR RAIL LOAN FAILS

But Its Members Now Want Mr. Lamont To Take Up Huge Bond Issue

BY NATHANIEL PEFFER
(*Our Peking Correspondent*)

Peking, April 11—I cite the following for two reasons: first because it is of some importance on its own account; second because it illustrates concretely how far apart in concept are the Chinese government and Mr. Lamont and the New Consortium.

For two months or more there have been reports that the government—rather, the Anfu crowd—was negotiating a loan of $30,000,000 with the Japanese for the building of a proposed railway between Techow, on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, and Shihchiachang, on the Peking-Hankow railway. The receipts of the Peking Hankow railway were to be offered as security. It was feared that not only would a new vital artery go into Japanese control but the Peking-Hankow line, one of the best paying in China, would ultimately fall into Japan's hands also.

DEAL FALLS THROUGH

The deal has fallen through, however. It seems that the Japanese asked too much. They wanted a Japanese chief engineer, other Japanese executives and Japanese guards and police stations along the line. Even for the Anfu Club that was too much. The Chinese refused. In passing, it is said that one of the reasons why the Japanese terms were rejected is that just now Tseng Yu-chen, Minister of Communications, is a little less cordial to the Japanese because he is a Fukien man and the Foochow incident rankles in many of the Fukienese now in office.

If it is true it is an interesting sidelight on the relative values of national and provincial loyalty in the minds of an official Chinese. At the bartering of their country as a whole they do not bat an eye, at an affront to their native province they bristle with anger. But whether true or not, the fact is that the Japanese loan has been dropped, at least for the time.

In place of it there is to be a bond issue of $30,000,000. The bonds are to be issued at 90, with interest at eight percent and secured on the receipts of the Peking-Hankow Railway. And here is where Mr. Lamont enters. The Communications crowd wants Mr. Lamont—the Americans, as they say—to take up the bonds. And Tseng Yu-chen has actually deputed one of the heads of his bureau formally to lay the matter before Mr. Lamont.

THE ANFUITES' PLAN

Now, mark you. Here is a loan for $30,000,000, ostensibly to build a railway. It is to be planned, built and administered entirely by Chinese. There will be no foreign representation, no foreign check. The only foreign protection will be the security—good security, it is true. There is not even a guaranty that the money will be used for the railway. The terms of the bond issue do not provide that specifically; the purpose of the issue is "for communications." And it is shown how little Chinese officialdom understands the New Consortium that it actually expects Mr. Lamont to consider the proposal

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President's Summer Plans Changed By Noisy Rail Signals

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, April 12.—The announcement that President Wilson would spend the summer at Wood's Hole has proved to be premature. The lease had been accepted but on inspection it turned out that the accommodation was inadequate and that the fog signals on the railway nearby which were always ringing made it difficult to work.

GRAFT CHARGED IN BUILDING OF U.S. ARMY CAMPS

G.O.P. Investigators Criticise Government—Democrats Have Only Praise

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, April 12.—The two opposing reports of the Committee appointed to investigate the construction of thirty army camps and cantonments, was submitted to the House of Representatives today.

The debate on the reports lasted several hours. The majority report, signed by the Republican members of the Committee, charged the Government agencies and officials in charge of war building with prodigality, while the minority report, signed by the Democratic members, defended the Administration.

The former stated that the Government had lost $75,531,521 on sixteen National Army cantonments due to waste, inefficiency and graft in the placing of contracts, which were said to be "wide open." No estimate was made of the loss incurred by the construction of National Guard camps. Dissenting from the majority report, the minority report declared that the construction of camps was equal to the building of two cities, each with a population of 37,000 to 46,000 and that this tremendous task which had been virtually completed in three months, stood as one of the great achievements of the war.

BOOST NAVY PAY, AVOID DISASTER, ADMIRAL'S ADVICE

Navigation Bureau Chief Points To Desertion Record For 1919

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, April 11.—Rear Admiral Thomas Washington, Chief of the Navigation Bureau, giving evidence before the Committee investigating Admiral Sims' charges, declared that Congress must increase the pay of the Navy in order to avoid disaster.

He declared that there were 4,666 cases of desertion in the last half of 1919 and 1,663 in the first two months of 1920 while over a thousand officers had resigned since the armistice.

GUATEMALA CITY IN REBEL HANDS; CABRERA DEPOSED

Revolutionaries Form A New Government With Herdera As Their President

(*Reuter's Service*)

Mexico City, April 12.—Newspaper reports from Guatemala state that the President, Senor Cabrera, has been overthrown and that the revolutionaries have formed a new government with Senor Carlos Herdera as President.

The "United State" party has obtained the upper hand and fighting is going on in the neighborhood of the capital.

Conflicting accounts have been received with regard to the fate of President Cabrera who is stated in some reports to have been taken prisoner and in others to be besieged in some place.

A later report from Guatemala City states that the city is undefended except by voluntary riflemen. President Cabrera is strongly entrenched in the suburbs.

Sonora, Mexico, Has Seceeded; Customs House Is Captured

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, April 11.—The State Congress of Sonora, Mexico, has passed a resolution severing relations with the Carranza Government. The Sonora revolutionaries have seized the customs house at Aguapriata.

HONGKONG STRIKE ADJUSTMENT PUT UP TO WORKERS

Tramway Company Prepared To Increase Their Wages To Reasonable Extent

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Hongkong, April 14.—At the annual meeting of the Hongkong Tramway Company today, the chairman, referring to the strike, stated that, speaking for employers, they were prepared and ready to meet the men's just demands and to increase wages in recognition of the increased cost of living.

The men certainly had not been able to substantiate their demand for a 40 percent increase and until they were prepared to discuss the matter on reasonable terms, it would be impossible to arrive at a satisfactory settlement.

The chairman added that it might have been possible to continue to run the trams for a few days longer but threats had been received that the motormen and conductors would be molested and it was decided to stop the service altogether.

It will be recalled that following the strike of firemen and litters on the tramways on the morning of April 10, the service was suspended immediately.

Hongkong, April 14.—The fitters of the telephone company have applied for an increase of wages.

Bolsheviki Capture Port On Black Sea

(*Reuter's Service*)

Constantinople, April 10.—The Bolsheviks have captured Tuapse on the Black Sea, 70 miles south of Ekaterinodar.

THOUSANDS IN PARADE AS STUDENTS GO ON STRIKE

Monster Mass Meeting Is Followed By Procession In Chinese City

ALL QUIET HERE

Only Trouble Report Comes From Hangchow Where 12 Are Held

COUNCIL ACTS

Political Gatherings Are Forbidden In Settlement Lectures Today

Eight thousand students and laborers paraded through the narrow streets of the Chinese City yesterday afternoon following a mass meeting at the West Gate Recreation Ground, the opening demonstration of a three-weeks' strike called in protest against direct negotiations on Shantung between Peking and Tokio and failure of the Central Government to publish and repudiate secret treaties with Japan.

Shanghai was but one of the cities in China which saw students' demonstrations yesterday. Classes were deserted in Peking, Tientsin, Soochow, Tsinan, Hangchow, Nanking and other smaller localities and students throughout the country are expected to join today.

There was no semblance of violence here. Extra military police and gendarmerie were on duty at the Recreation Ground and along the long route of the parade but they merely looked on, read the banners denouncing the Central Government, helped regulate the congested lanes of traffic, and made no attempt at halting either the mass meeting or the parade.

COUNCIL PROHIBITS POLITICAL MEETING

One of the results of the strike is the prohibition by the Municipal Council of all political meetings in the International Settlement. A Municipal notification, published this morning, reads:

Of late there have been certain unbridled utterances by political malcontents and others, affecting the Chinese Government; with attacks upon public personages, and immoderate defamatory accusations in which terms of violent abuse have been employed of such nature as tend to perturb the public mind and to prove subversive of peace and good order.

In the Foreign Settlement, the Council is the executive custodian of order. In pursuance, therefore, of the powers vested in the Council the following regulations with regard to meetings of a political nature are issued for observance by all persons within the Foreign Settlement. These regulations will be enforced forthwith:

1.—No meeting of a political nature shall be held in the Foreign Settlement without special permission from the Council.

2.—Any person or persons wishing to convene such meeting shall apply for the necessary permission at least forty-eight hours in advance to the Commissioner of Police stating the object of the meeting and giving in a general way all particulars with regard to those attending the meeting and the program to be observed at the meeting.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

The police departments of the French Concession and the International Settlement did not take any extra precautions yesterday there were no armed men at the boundaries as was the case last summer, and no attempt was made by the student demonstrators to enter foreign territory.

HANGCHOW STUDENTS REPORTED ARRESTED

But one instance of trouble was reported from outside Shanghai up to late last night. At Hangchow 12 students were confined to the building of the Provincial Educational Association. Reports were received from various cities notifying the national headquarters here that the strike was on, urging their Shanghai compatriots to persevere and announcing that close touch would be maintained with students here.

Today the lecture campaign will be set in motion and selected

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Thousands Parade Native City As Students Strike

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speakers are to tell audiences throughout the country that Peking must be convinced of popular opposition to direct negotiatons over Shantung. A few speeches were made in the Chinese City after the parade yesterday afternoon, but the organised lecture tours are not scheduled to start until this morning.

Shortly after two o'clock yesterday afternoon the big crowd at the West Gate, upwards of 10,000 or 12,000 people of every walk of life, heard the opening speech of the strike. It was a denunciation of the Peking Government, a condemnation of the military group, a plea for sympathy with the fight against direct negotiations over Shantung and a demand for publication and abrogation of secret treaties made with Japan. There were but four addresses but they were pithy, outspoken and fearless. The speakers did not mince words; they openly charged the Central Government officials with selling China—while Government soldiers stood and listened.

PARADE WINDS WAY THROUGH CHINESE CITY

Then came the parade, a long, wearisome, winding march through the narrow streets of the crowded Chinese City, with thousands walking with their banners and thousands more silently watching the procession pass. There were no bands, no blare of trumpets, no cheers. The marchers did not swing by the apathetic spectators with any semblance of martial array. There seemed to be no spirit, no vim, no dash. It was just a meandering crowd.

Official returns at the Student Headquarters showed that all schools in Shanghai and environs were represented except the Shanghai Municipal Schools and the Tung Chi Medical and Engineering School. Many girls' institutions were represented and the young ladies in large numbers presented a picturesque note in the varied procession.

One group of girls wore loose khaki-colored blouses and black skirts, their heads covered with spotless white soft hats, with a thin band of khaki-colored ribbon. Another wore white hats, light blue blouses and black trousers Others were dressed in navy blue blouses and darker skirts. There were other groups of girls dotting the procession.

Every one of the marchers, girls and boys, carried a flag and each school representation was led by two of the older and bigger girls or boys, one carrying the flag of the Chinese Republic and the other bearing the school banner.

UNIFORMS ARE SEEN IN LINE OF MARCH

Sturdy lads in trim military uniforms, marching with just a semblance of the goose step and the long determined swing of the arm which marks the Japanese soldier, carried small banners which read: "Get Rid of the Militarists." Boy Scouts vainly tried to swing along martially, but there was evidently no incentive. Husky undergraduates from several of the higher schools were also in uniform. They, too, were out of step.

Then there were the groups which were not uniform in their dress but which lent wild dashes of color to the spectacle. Chinese gowns of every possible shade and foreign style clothes of the best English tweed and cut in the latest western style, these too, added to the varied aspect.

Side by side with their teachers tramped children of seven years and young men and young ladies. And each carried a thin strip of white cotton cloth attached to a short bamboo stick. These were the banners, on which were written in Chinese characters various opinions of the Peking Government.

And while the silent thousands walked—they hardly marched—husky Shantung men, soldiers, watched. Military police preceded the paraders and three dapper officers and two secret service men brought up the rear.

They traveled with the students to all parts of the city and then back to the Recreation Grounds where they heard speakers congratulate the paraders on the success of the opening gun of the strike, urge them to perservere and counsel against violence. Lecturers were then sent out but had little time before dark to deliver talks. They are to resume today.

GIVE OUT HANDBILLS

Handbills were distributed by the paraders condemning the Peking Government for not rejecting the Japanese note requesting

"Was it not Shantung that the people of the country has been fighting for during the last one year?

"But Shantung is falling into the hands of Japanese!

"During the year, didn't we labor for the abrogation of the direct negotiations over Shantung. The handbills read:

Secret treaties which threaten the very existence of our country?

"But the Military Pact is being prolonged!

"The stipulations of the railway agreements are being carried out!

"Fellow Citizens! Why should we deal directly with Japan over the Shantung question when we have refused to sign the treaty of peace with Germany.

"But the traitors refuse to reject the Japanese note. They are quite willing to sacrifice Shantung!

"If we do not declare war on the traitors, then we are only fit to be slaves!"

While sympathetic with the democratic ideas of the students, the faculty of St. John's University decided not to allow their students to make use of the school premises for propaganda work during the strike. This was decided at a meeting of the faculty Tuesday. The following statement has been issued:

ISSUES STATEMENT

"The faculty has received the petition in regard to the proposed students' strike. It was considered at a meeting of the college and middle school faculties. The members of the faculties wish to reiterate their sympathy with the students' democratic ideas and aspirations. They are also unwilling to interfere with their liberty as citizens of the Republic.

"At the same time the faculty would point out: (1) That St. John's as an American missionary university would be acting unlawfully if it permitted the institution to become an active center of political agitation, and (2) that it is impossible for the institution to assume the responsibility for the safety of the students engaged in the present movement.

"It can not exactly foresee what immediate consequences are going to follow the joint action of the National Students' Federation. It therefore has adopted the following plan of action, and hopes that the University may continue to function as a Univeristy should. If the plan proves unworkable, it may be obliged to resort to another course of action.

The following resolutions were passed:

"(1)—That all students desirous of taking part in the student strike may consider themselves at liberty to do so, so far as the college and middle school authorities are concerned.

"(2)—That students desirous of taking part in the strike be requested to return to their homes as soon as possible, and will not be permitted to remain in residence during the period of the strike.

MANY SCHOOLS JOIN

"(3)—That students coming from a distance, desirous of taking part in the strike, must arrange to live somewhere off the premises.

"(4)—That students wishing to continue their studies may remain in residence, and will receive regular instruction as usual.

"(5)—That students who leave for the strike will be permitted to return to the institution whenever they are ready to resume regular scholastic work.

"The taking of examinations by students out on strike will be dependent on the length of their absence. The faculty will permit students to take examinations when in its judgement the same is practicable and justifiable."

Among the schools participating in the parade were St. John's University, Nanyang College, Nanyang Mining and Engineering College, Chi Hsiu Girls' School, Y.M.C.A. Middle School, Ching Chong School, Aurora University, Fuhtan College, McTyeire High School, St. Mary's Hall, Chen Tien School, Chen Chow Girls School, Cantonese Schools, Chen Yah College, Second Kiangsu Provincial Normal School, Ming Li School, Hua Ying School, Chapei Public School, St. John's Y.M.C.A. School, Girls' Physical Training School, Women's Normal School for Physical Education, the Vocational Educational School of China.

"Take this check to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank and have it cashed," Mr. W. G. Worcester, stockbroker, told his houseboy a few days ago.

Ts Ling-sung took the slip of paper, looked it over carefully and ambled bankward.

Real money was given him in exchange for the bit of near-parchment.

"Huh, easy as anything," mused Ts.

And being a talented young man who can read some and write more he went into action.

His first move was to obtain a blank check from a book belonging to his employer's firm.

Next he put in a period at chirography.

The result was startling.

The amount of the previous check he copied precisely and the signature was a work of art.

But Ts had an afterthought. And thereby hangs this tale.

An astounded paying teller looked over the new check when the houseboy presented it.

"I can figure out most of this," he spluttered, "but what in the name of Time are these figures in the lower left hand corner?"

"They b'long ploper," insisted the bland Ts.

But the teller didn't think so and neither did British Assessor Grant Jones and Magistrate Yui in the Mixed Court.

And so Ts will have five years solitude in which to discover that serial numbers on all checks are not the same and that they should not be added to the amount payable for merely decorative, purposes when one undertakes forgery.

London Interested In Sudden Rise In German Mark Value

Exchange Dealers Believe It Due To Politics—Paper Money Is Doubled

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 12.—The movements of the German Mark are exciting interest in the City where the Mark has appreciated from 277 to the £ to 217 during the past week. Dealers in exchange are of the opinion that the movement is due to the political position rather than to an improvement in the German economic position.

It is regarded, therefore, as only temporary by a City authority, who says that it is common knowledge that the British Government has assured Germany that it favors a more liberal policy with regard to the supply of raw materials for industries. The factors against the maintenance of any appreciable improvement are that the banks of Northern Europe are bulging with Marks and the inflation of currency is proceeding unchecked. The paper money in circulation has been doubled within a twelvemonth.

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Practically the whole of act two was carried by Graham Browne and Miss Tempest. They impress one more every time they play what really wonderful artists they are. I can imagine much of the dialogue in Hubert Henry Davis' play missing fire without the business and ability of the players under review. But what more can we say about these players? They are altogether excellent and any play that they appear in can be safely recommended to any playgoer.

Miss Doris Gilham calls for more than the conventional mention for her excellent character study of 'Mrs. Spencer.' We have admired this lady's work before and she becomes more and more popular with the audience every time she appears. Miss Hamilton, Miss Kemp, Mr. Roger Barry and Mr. Herbert Millard were all well in the picture in lesser parts.

Tonight 'Cousin Kate' will show again. She is well worth being introduced to. You will like her.

DOMINO.

Excess Profits Tax May Be Devoted To Soldiers' Bonuses

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, April 12.—A bill has been introduced into Congress proposing to apply 80 percent of the receipts from the excess profits tax for the payment of soldiers' bonusps.

LEAVE SHANTUNG ISSUE TO LEAGUE, SUGGESTS MR. HSU

(*Special Wire To* THE CHINA PRESS)

Tsinanfu, April 14.—Mr. Beilby F. Alston, the new British Minister, passed through Tsinan this morning on his way to his new post. He was welcomed by representatives of the Civil and Military Governors, Mr. Hsu Tung-fang, secretary of the Civil Governor, Mr. Chu Ying-kwang, accompanied the Minister to Peking, where he will present his plan of asking the League of Nations to settle the Shantung controversy.

The plans will be presented to Premier Chin Yung-peng, Acting Foreign Minister Chen Li'u and members of the Diplomatic Corps. Popular opinion hopes that Mr. Hsu will succeed in getting the officials to sanction his plan and thus prevent direct negotiations with Japan.

DR. PAUL MARTIN JOINS FIRM HERE

The most recent addition to the medical fraternity of Shanghai, is Dr. Paul Martin, a major in the medical corps of the United States army, and late consulting surgeon to the Siberian Expeditionary Forces.

Dr. Martin is a native of Indianapolis, Indiana, and holds degrees from Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons. He spent two years at the various centers of medical education in Europe (particularly in Berlin and Vienna) where he devoted himself especially to surgery at the clinics of Professors O'shausen, Martin, and von Eiselsberg; and was later made Associate Professor of Surgery at Indiana University School of Medicine.

Holding the rank of Major in the Medical Reserve Corps, United States army, he was ordered on active service, following the declaration of war by the United States of America; and took a hospital unit to the war zone. Later he was detailed as director of Surgical Services in France and Germany.

Dr. Martin has associated himself with the firm of Drs. Ransom, Street and Massie, and intends to devote himself largely to surgery.

Wedding

FENG-KWOK

The marriage of Mr. Kenneth Chih Feng, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Feng, and secretary of the Chinese Consulate-General in Mexico and Miss Kwok, daughter Mr. Kwok Bew, managing director of Wing On Company and Mrs. Kwok, was solemnised at the Cantonese Christian Church yesterday.

ELLIOTT-STEIFF

Miss Florence Catherine Steiff, of Baltimore, became the bride of Mr. Stewart Parker Elliott yesterday afternoon. The ceremony, which took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Doremus, Route Vallon, was performed by Rev. Dr. Parker. Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham, United States consul-general in Shanghai, served as official witness.

Mrs. Doremus was matron-of-honor and her daughters, the Misses Grace and Catherine, were flower girls. Dr. W. T. Findley was groomsman.

Following the ceremony a wedding tea was served.

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CUSTOMS RETURNS LAST YEAR SHOW GAIN OVER 1918

Swift Trade Expansion Seen In Quarterly Totals Given In Reports

Striking indication of how rapidly China's trade is growing is given in a report which shows that customs revenues of the 48 ports in which duties are collected mounted last year to the total of Haikwan Taels 46,009,160.292, an increase over the revenues collected in 1918 of Hk. Tls. 4,864,115.437. The figures given include import, export and coast trade duties, tonnage and transit dues.

The figures above given are compiled from the four "Quarterly Returns of Trade" for 1919, the last of which has just been issued by The China Maritime Customs. The total collected in the last three months of the year is considerably above the figure of the first three months, as is shown in the totals collected in the four quarters as follows: First quarter, Hk. Tls. 9,462,871.356; second quarter, Hk. Tls. 12,117,294.803; third quarter, Hk. Tls. 11,551,927.251; fourth quarter, Hk. Tls. 12,877,066.882. Quarterly collections in 1918 all are far below those of last year and are: First quarter, Hk. Tls. 7,601,986.783; second quarter, Hk. Tls. 9,037,191.011; third quarter, Hk. Tls. 9,030,443.666; fourth quarter, Hk. Tls. 10,675,423.395.

ONE-THIRD COLLECTED HERE

Roughly a third of all port revenues of China are collected in Shanghai and Shanghai's total for last year reached the sum of Hk. Tls. 14,289,736. This is an increase of Hk. Tls. 3,386,689 over the total of 1918 when Hk. Tls. 10,903,047 were collected in Shanghai.

Shanghai's port collections by quarters for 1319 were as follows: First quarter, Hk. Tls. 2,890,547; second quarter, Hk. Tls. 3,568,-482; third quarter, Hk. Tls. 3,617,-145; fourth quarter, Hk. Tls. 4,213,560. Shanghai's returns by quarters in 1918 were: First quarter, Hk. Tls. 2,469,628; second quarter, Hk. Tls. 2,775,-851; third quarter, Hk. Tls. 2,643,424; fourth quarter, Hk. Tls. 3 614,142.

Increases in total collections corresponding to those recorded for Shanghai are also shown by the ports of Dairen, Tientsin and Hankow, each of which annually collects roughly a third of the amount collected in Shanghai.

Arbor Day Observed In Kiangsi Province

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanchang, April 10.—Yesterday was an official tree planting day for the civil and military authorities of Kiangsi. Military governor Chen Kuan-yuan and Civil Governor Chi Yang headed the movement and left the city by train early in the morning for Tu Chao Pu, a small city about 40 miles north of Nanchang. They were accompanied by several hundred students, members of the provincial and the heads of governmental departments.

Arriving at the station the party went at once to the hillside selected for the occasion. Speeches were made by the two governors, the speaker of the Assembly and the Commissioner of Education. Scores of trees of various varieties were planted. After a feast, enjoyed by the leading men, the party returned to the city. The weather was perfect.

Ex-German Ships Will Be Divided In Early Summer

Reparations Commission Will Distribute Them On And After June 15

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, April 14.—The Governor of Hongkong has received the following telegram from the Secretary of State for the Colonies: The Reparations Commission give notice that it will proceed to divide the ex-German ships on and after June 15.

All claims which it is desired to make in respect of any ships under paragraph 20, annex 2, part 8 of the Treaty of Versailles should be notified through the Government of the claimant to the secretary of the Maritime Service of the Reparations Commission, Bridgewater House, London, not later than April 15, 1920. The Reparations Commission cannot undertake to consider any claim received after that date.

WOODEN HOUSES ALLOWED UNDER NEW RULE HERE

Council Decrees That 50 Feet Space Be Left On All Sides Of Structures

Houses with wooden walls may be erected in the International Settlement provided an open space of 50 feet is left on all sides of them, according to a ruling made by the Municipal Council and announced in today's issue of the Municipal Gazette. The following correspondence explains the situation:

Shanghai, March 1, 1920.

Dear Sir.—With reference to the public discussion which has lately been going on in respect of the possible introduction into Shanghai of wooden houses, we should feel obliged if you would kindly inform us what view is taken by the Municipal Council regarding the matter, and whether it may be anticipated that permission to erect wooden houses in the Settlement will be given.

Yours faithfully,
p. pro. O. THORESEN,
E. O. APENES.

The Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, March 18, 1920.

Sir.—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 1, and in reply thereto to state that while the erection of houses with wooden walls is contrary to the provisions of the building rules, the Council would not prohibit the erection of wooden houses in certain localities, provided that the person desiring to erect such a structure gave a satisfactory undertaking in writing that an unobstructed open space of at least 50 feet would be permanently left on all sides of the house.

Apart from the walls, such a structure would have to comply in other respects with the building rules.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. ROWE,
Assistant Secretary.

O. THORESEN, Esq.

China Political Notes From Chinese Papers

In response to the telegraphic inquiry made by the Government with reference to the newspaper report of the Eight Tuchuns' League and to the withdrawal of troops on the various defense lines, General Tsao Kun has delegated a representative to call on President Hsu Shih-chang and to deny the reports. He stated that the memorial service held in honor of General Feng Kuo-chang had no political significance.

General Li Shun, Tuchun of Kiangsu, expects to be appointed Inspector-General of the Yangtsze and to secure the leadership of the Chihli Faction. The other candidates for the post are Generals Chang Tso-ling and Tsao Kun.

Over 70 old Parliamentarians met in Peking and endorsed the proposal of General Lu Yung-hsiang, Tuchun of Chekiang, to have both Parliaments enact a permanent constitution.

The Japanese Government has asked Peking to join them in the defense against Bolshevism. In response to President Hsu's request, General Tuan expressed the view that it should be rejected. He suggests that all the troops in Siberia be withdrawn at once in order to avoid complications.

General Horvath, former director of the Chinese Eastern Railway, has arrived in Peking. The Ministry of Communications will retain him as its adviser.

The Government has lodged a protest with the Japanese Legation against the action of Japanese troops in encroaching upon the sovereignty of China by their acts along the Chinese Eastern Railway.

General Li Lieh-chun has returned to Canton. He is now under strict supervision and has lost his personal freedom.

The Ministry of Communications has telegraphed the Tuchuns of Shensi, Kansu and Sinkiang, informing them that engineers have been appointed to proceed to their provinces to make a survey and establish wireless stations.

The Waichiaopu telegraphs the Civil Governor of Fukien stating that the 14 articles of the Dutch Treaty are being discussed, and that he should notify the Overseas Chinese Association at Amoy to wait quietly for the decision of Peking.

The Chenhseuhhui is working energetically to assemble parliamentarians of 14 provinces for the holding of an extra session in order to prop up the position and to show that the Canton Government will not collapse upon the departure of the Kuomintang.

Dr. Wu Ting-fang Due Here Saturday

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, April 14.—Dr. Wu Ting-fang left today for Shanghai on board the Katori Maru.

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ANFU CLUB DEAL WITH JAPAN FOR RAIL LOAN FAILS

(Continued from Page 1)

seriously. It actually expects him to agree to put up the $30,000,000 of money sorely needed for the rebuilding of Europe without even the slightest guaranty that it will not go partly into the pockets of the Anfu Club's leaders and partly into the building up of the Anfu Club's armies. Which of course it will. There are few things in life more certain than that after the surveys were finished and a few miles of track laid down the money would be all gone and a new "loan" would be issued.

Nor do Tseng Yu-chen and his henchmen see why Mr. Lamont should object to such an arrangement. His security, they say, is good. What more would he? In them the realisation has not yet faintly dawned that at last the majority of foreigners really are through with lending money to Chinese officials without assurances as to where it is going and the means to realise those assurances. They do not realise that Mr. Lamont means what he said at the Anglo-American tiffin here when he said that the Consortium would only make a loan on condition that the loan be used for constructive purposes and on condition that it have means of making certain that it would be used for such purposes or the New Consortium would not do business at all.

OPPOSE ALL SUPERVISION

If they do realise it they do not intend to yield. Tseng Yu-chen has already expressed himself as opposed to supervision. He is said to be fearful that supervision will be but a preliminary to the unification of railways, which the Communications gang defeated last Summer. As a matter of fact, it would not necessarily be. There is no reason why a loan of, say, $100,000,000, could not be made for the construction of new railways, a foreign board being empowered only to supervise the expenditure of that $100,000,000 and the railways built therewith. The existing railways could be left as they are. Eventually, of course, there must be unification and nationalistion of all China's railways. There can be no efficient system of communications until there is. But it is not an indispensable condition.

Yet the Communications gang, the whole government gang in fact, is opposed even to that amount of supervision. It is opposed to any supervision that will shut off its source of plunder. It is still cherishing illusions of unrestricted digging into an American Eldorado opened to it by the coming of Mr. Lamont. For that reason the Hotel de Pekin lobby has swarmed since Thursday with official prospectors, each rushing to stake out his claim before the others. A terrible disillusionment is in store for a great many Chinese persons these next few weeks.

PRESIDENT HADLEY OF YALE RESIGNS

(Reuter's Service)

New Haven, Conn., April 11.—The resignation of Dr. Arthur Twining Hadley, President of Yale University, has been accepted. Dr. Hadley is 64 years of age. He joined the staff of the University in 1879 and in June 1899 was appointed president.

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"Glamor" is a story of London before and during the war. But mostly before. The war only enters at the last minute, with that strange power of preventing smaller catastrophes that inheres in so great a catastrophe. It solves an unsolvable problem and breaks the spell of glamor under which the hero lies obsessed. Had it not been for the war suicide alone was the issue. For the far-away Princess had left her remoteness, and Bryan Vaile's world tottered to its fall.

Here is what Diana Kenion seemed to Bryan in the first days of their meeting, when both were at youth's threshold, she a mere girl, he older in years but fresh and untouched by life, a shy and silent man, dabbling in literature and struggling with the law:

"She was glamor and spell incarnate, no, not quite incarnate, because she realised his dream so completely that he always had a sensation of dreaming when with her. She summed up everything—his love of poetry; his boyish craving for the Princess, the goddess, the unattainable joy. She was music to him, mystery, moonlight on woodland pools—everything."

And she let him love her; she told him she loved him. But then as he stretched out his arms, sure that the unattainable was his, she disappeared, smiling, tender, even regretful, but unshakable. Her realm lay among the gods, not in the common ruck. How could Diana marry Bryan? As well marry a fairy to a peasant.

AN ILLUSION VANISHES

So Bryan, sick at heart and determined never again to cherish an illusion, fares away, and in the course of his faring meets the woman who becomes his wife. A fine, sweet girl, true as steel and devoted, a girl without imagination but with a forthright good-sense, and a clear nobility of soul that made her wise.

And Bryan loved her. Loved her deeply and entirely, lived with her a full and satisfying life. With her to back him, to believe in him, he made good at his writing and became the author of popular and successful plays. They grew rich, they owned a charming house close to the Regent's Park, and they had a host of friends in the world of literary, artistic and theatrical London, as well as sound and pretty children. They were the best of companions, happy and contented. Their marriage was a success, for it was what marriage ought to be; this is all its mystery—companionship. There is nothing on earth that has any real value when compared with the value of companionship, and its highest and fullest manifestation is reached in a happy marriage. No companion can be to a man what his wife is—the other, better self to whom there is nothing you cannot speak of; for whom you must keep all your life clean and good, so that there shall never come in to it anything that you cannot speak of."

And then Diana crossed his path again, now a rich Duchess, courted by all London, and not quite free from the tongue of slander. She is lovelier than ever, more like the unattainable dream, gay, exquisite—and she wants Bryan again as her friend. And he cannot refuse her.

With a rare skill Mr. Maxwell depicts this phase of Bryan's life. The yielding to the spell, the breaking down of the real life before the assault of the unreal. Diana means no harm. She is but the Princess, to be adored, and life is only made that she may have her way with it. "Bryan, believe it or not, you have always been more to me than any other person in the world." And Bryan believes, and, indeed, it is true.

PRINCESS VERSUS WIFE

But the far-away Princess has only a day, a moment, snatched morsel of time to give him. Her path is not his path. She gives and goes and leaves Bryan with the burden of his realities crushing him.

"It seemed to him that his whole life was destroyed; that the past had tumbled into dust; that the future could bring nothing but dread and horror. While Diana lived he would be her slave that is, she could call him whenever she wanted him and he would go to her. If she did not immediately tire of him, if she went on caring for him, their intercourse would infallibly lead to disaster. For him it was an impossible liason."

Bryan could not endure a life of treachery, trickery and lies. He could not bear to break Mabel's heart. He could not face the loss of esteem and trust that had been his from the friends who loved him. And yet he could not shake himself free from Diana. Through the night, through the day, he thought it all out, clearly, slowly. There was only one way out—suicide. Suicide, so carefully planned that it would seem to every one only a tragic accident. Then Mabel, then his children, could go on with their lives, missing him, devoted to his memory, with a home and an income sufficient for all needs—safe.

Then the war!

"And Bryan Vaile jumped at it as if it had been made for him. So easy now; so decent; so gloriously more simple than his own device, which, after all, might have been botched and bungled. He would go to the war and get killed.

Just what the war does for Bryan and Mabel and Diana it is not the part of the reviewer to tell. Mr. Maxwell does it and the reader is urged to find out, just how he does it.

In the brief outline given here there has not been room to speak of the color and richness of the story. Of its delightful pictures of London life in those days before the war that now seem, so the author himself says, "so difficult to recall that one is compelled to examine old files of illustrated newspapers, political reviews and literary magazines in order to find out what people looked like, what they were doing, and what they were thinking." Nor can there be more than an indicating gesture toward the masterly characterisation, not only of the main characters but of the many who merely enter for a moment or so. It is a good and satisfying book, full of the stuff of life, beautifully told.

ROBIN LINNET

Robin Linnet. By E. F. Benson. George H. Doran Company.

While it is young "Robin Linnet," familiarly known as "Birds," who gives his name for the title of this new novel and who brings about its climax, the central figure in the book is his mother, Lady Helen Grote. A woman 40 years old but looking much younger handsome, charming, popular, intensely alive, enormously rich and of the highest social position, she is one who when first we meet her is a kind of connoisseur of amusement, and of people who are amusing. In pre-war London and in her beautiful country home of Grote, she is a hostess whose invitations are eagerly sought after. Her week-end parties at Grote are famous partly because of her personal charm, partly because of the entertaining quality of the people she gathers about her. Her old friend, Lord Thorley, tells her that she is a snob in that she worships success, while she herself declares that she "adores people." An unhappy marriage having placed her in a somewhat detached position, her affairs have been much upon the tongue of the world. On one occasion at least there had very nearly been an open scandal, and when the book begins she is indulging in a flirtation with the great German tenor, Kuhlmann.

Despite these vagaries, there is just one person whom she loves completely and devotedly, this person being her nineteen-year-old son, Robin, a student at Cambridge. All the first half of the book is taken up by a series of pictures of the lives of that class, small but very much in the foreground, who in the world which ended with the coming of the war had nothing to do but amuse themselves. An account, long and, to speak the truth, not very entertaining, of St. Stephen's College, Cambridge, some of its students and a typical set of its ultra-conservative dons, occupies a goodly number of pages. Then comes an even longer and more detailed exposition of the luxurious, pleasure-seeking lives of Lady Helen and her friends, set against the background of the great house at Grote, with its big loggia where tea was served and the stone balustraded terrace which fringed the edge of the beech-clad hill that plunged steeply down into the Thames Valley." Lady Helen and her coterie were in the world to amuse themselves, and they did it on a magnificent scale, asking of those whom they admitted into their circle just one thing; that they should contribute to their entertainment. Beside the mellowed splendors of Grote, and to some extent in contrast with them, are the glories of the new-rich Gurtners, he a German Jew who had become rich in England, she an ex-governess, German on her mother's side. The gorgeous party given by Aline Gurtner just a very short time before the opening of the war, is one of the outstanding incidents of the book.

For "Robin Linnet" is distinctly a war novel. Not that it makes any attempt to visualise the battle-front, or existence as it was lived just behind the lines. London is, indeed, as close to the fighting as it ever goes. Nevertheless, the crux of it all is the effect wrought by the war upon the charming, pleasure-loving Lady Helen. Of course, it reached her through the son she adored, Robin, that "peaceful, easy-going young gentleman" who personally "hated and loathed the idea of war, and all that military service implied," and was one of the first to enlist. Lady Helen, who had recently received a severe blow from another quarter—and such a quarter that the mere fact of its being possible for her to receive any blow from thence markedly diminishes one's respect for her—detested the war, and strove to avoid it. She even planned to turn Grote into "a Hermitage, a Boccaccio refuge for those who had the sense to avoid the plague." And then suddenly she discovered that the very persons she had thought of as being most likely to share her "Boccaccio refuge" were the ones who now jarred upon her most. Her own thoughts, spoken aloud by others, seemed to her ugly and even horrible. Slowly her character grows, until at the last she is able to meet bereavement in a way worthy of the splendid boy who had "given himself." The concluding pages of the book are beautifully written and very moving, making the whole worth while.

It is a book practically devoid of even a slight thread of plot, and it is very much too long. The more impatient among readers will be only too likely to throw it aside before reaching the midway point at which it begins to be interesting. Nor does it contain any of the unconsciously humorous characters, like the delightful Canon of "Sheaves" or the patience-playing lady of one of his more recent novels, that Mr. Benson has drawn so admirably. But there is excellent work in the portraits of the Gurtners—he, the German Jew who had spent most of his life in England, and decided, when war came, to profess English sympathies because he could thus make more money; who took advantage of his prior information to sell alike English consols and German funds, to buy shares in the Krupp works and in English munition plants, preferring Germany, instinctively desirous of a German victory, but never allowing his sympathies to deflect his attention from the main chance. His is very real, and no less real is his wife Aline, who had "determined to profess the most English of attitudes," though "at heart all her interests were German," and who hated the war for no other reason than because it interfered with her projects for social advancement. Robin, the boy whom the war did not change but merely "brought out the light and the fire that was in him" is a human and lovable youth, while several of the minor people are cleverly sketched. However, it is Lady Helen herself who counts most, because she to whom life had never denied anything she really wanted, stands forth as the type and symbol of her class, completely an individual, but an individual representing a particular and clearly defined kind of existence, of inheritances and conventions and privileges. The novel is, of course, well written, and many of the descriptions of Grote and of Cambridge are like gracefully outlined water-colors, full of delicacy and charm.

THE CHINESE RECORDER

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From the days of Anson Burlingame (who was a kind of glorified globe-trotter) to the present, the specialist visitor has always been with us, and to the old resident of China, every one of them has something of interest to say, for they help us to see ourselves as others see us, and to get a new angle on the situation. The leading article in the current Recorder is by Mr. Robert Woods, and his specialty is the social work of the Christian church and he looks on China as a possible field for social service. His carefully worded comments bring back vividly to those who heard him speak the thoughtful and scholarly lines of his face; and it is doubtful if any will fail to be helped in their work, of whatever character it may be, if they will ponder what he has written.

A thorough, if somewhat technical, study of "The Place of Religious Education in Mission Schools" is offered by Mr. James B. Webster. A brief but impressive description of what a religious organisation can do for a Chinese community, if guided by a leader who is patient and far-sighted, is provided by Mr. Earl H. Cressy.

Mr. Cornaby continues his delightful and informing study of the "Theology and Eschatology of the Chinese Novel." We learn particulars of the six classes of divinities who had been named in the first article and are afforded some charming glimpses into the working of the Chinese mind in this particular region of thought. Many a younger missionary will be grateful to Mr. Cornaby for straightening out a few of the intricacies of Chinese religious belief and practice as they are most commonly met. The average Chinese friend to whom one applies for information is simply unable to envisage to himself the vast ignorance of a student from abroad, and leaves out many important details in his reply, thinking that a knowledge of them can surely be taken for granted. Some of those details are supplied in the present article, and the newcomer will do well to commit them to memory.

Mr. Champness writes a wise and witty article on the "Problems of Chinese Psalmody," and makes the subject more attractive than one would have supposed it could be; although the difficulties are not minimised. Any who are engaged in the effort to make the worship of the Chinese church a dignified and beautiful thing ought to be grateful to the writer for the help he affords to that end.

The brief statement describing how "The Methodists Lay Out a Program" by Mr. Paul Hutchinson would have made the missionaries of fifty years ago crumple up and gasp. Truly, "ambitious" is a mild word for him to use in describing it. You are advised to read it, rub your eyes, and then read it again.

COMMITTEES OF COUNCIL NAMED

Retiring Chairman Is Praised For His Long Services At Final Session

High praise for the long and efficient service given to the International Settlement by the former Chairman of the Municipal Council, Mr. E. C. Pearce, was voiced by Mr. W. L. Merriman in a speech on the occasion of the final meeting of the members of the 1919 Municipal Council last Thursday.

"Mr. Pearce has served on the Council for nine years," said Mr. Merriman, "and for the past seven as our chairman.

"I have served in the Council during the entire period of his chairmanship and I can personally testify to the great service which he has done for Shanghai. I am sure I am voicing the view of all of you when I express our very great appreciation of his work as chairman."

Mr. Peace made a fitting response to a vote of thanks that was given and spoke highly of the loyalty and co-operation of his colleagues.

The Committees of the 1920 Municipal Council were then announced at the meeting as follows:

COMMITTEES NAMED

Chairman: Mr. A. Brooke Smith.

Vice-Chairman: Mr. W. P. Lambe.

Finance Committee: Messrs. D. Goh, H. A. Macintyre and A. Brooke Smith.

Works Committee: Messrs. C. M. Bain, M. Benjamin and E. F. Mackay.

Watch Committee: Lieut.-Colonel Cox, O.B.E., and Messrs. S. Fessenden and W. P. Lambe.

The Council's representatives on the Sub-Committees will be as follows:—On the Electricity Committee, Messrs. Benjamin and Macintyre; on the Health Committee, Mr. Lambe and Lieut.-Colonel Cox, O.B.E., on the Permanent Education Committee, Mr. Lambe; on the Foreign Educational Committee, Mr. Bain; on the Chinese Educational Committee, Mr. Benjamin; on the Band Committee, Mr. Bain; on the Public Recreation Ground Committee, Mr. Fessenden.

The membership of the Committees will, accordingly, be as follows:—Electricity Committee: Messrs. Macintyre, A. W. Burkill, C. G. S. Mackie and S. B. Neill.

Health Committee: Mr. Lambe, Lieut.-Colonel Cox, O.B.E., Drs. R. J. Marshall and J. W. Jackson and Mr. S. J. Halse.

Permanent Education Committee: Messrs. E. C. Pearce, E. I. Ezra, the Chairmen of the Foreign and Chinese Educational Committees and Mr. Lambe.

Foreign Educational Committee: Mesdames Merriman and Gillinghurst; Dr. R. S. Ivy and Messrs. P. W. Massey and Bain.

Chinese Educational Committee: Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray, Messrs. Benjamin, Chi Chih-nieh and Shen Tun-ho.

Band Committee: Messrs. Bain, O. M. Green and A. Howard.

Parks Committee: Rev. Brother Faust and Mr. F. Ayscough.

Library Committee: Rev. Dr. D. MacGillivray, Messrs. F. C. Kendall and R. N. Macleod.

News Brevities

Mr. B. Fujinaga has been transferred to the Kiukiang Office of the Bank of Tankan to take up the managership there. Messrs. Sakae Tanaka and Yasuhei Adachi have been authorised to sign per procuration for the Shanghai Branch. Mr. T. Hirano will continue to sign per procuration as heretofore.

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The charge for the use of the Town Hall for social functions is Taels 130 per diem, exclusive of the cost of electricity, the charge for the North or South room is Taels 15 per diem and Taels 10 for the afternoon, according to a Municipal notification published in today's Municipal Gazette.

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Dog owners who have not yet taken out licences for the current year, are requested to make application at the Municipal Revenue Office, accompanied by the fee of $5 for each dog.

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The formal dedication of the Victory Memorial at the Central Park in Peking will take place tomorrow. General Tuan Chi-jui, director of the War Participation Bureau who is now in Tuanho, will return to Peking to officiate at the ceremony.

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Eighteen months imprisonment and expulsion was the sentence imposed yesterday on a Chinese who stole a plank worth $1 from a contractor who was working on the Bund. The man had six previous convictions and British Assessor Grant Jones, sitting with Magistrate Yui, commented on the light penalties that had been heretofore been imposed on the prisoner.

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A Korean accused of having ordered a Chinese brass worker to manufacture shells for hand grenades, believed to be intended for use in a bomb plot, appeared before the Japanese consular court yesterday. The case was continued to Friday.

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The extraordinary general meeting of the Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ltd., will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at 6 Kiukiang Road when the resolutions passed at the general meeting on March 31 will be submitted for confirmation.

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Members of the Shanghai Branch of the Navy League are reminded that there will be a meeting this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Company's board room, Peking Road.

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There will be a tea dance at the Country Club this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

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Scottish members of the Shanghai Rowing Club will meet at the clubhouse Friday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

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The Shanghai Junior Golf Club will hold its annual general meeting at the pavilion Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

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A fancy dress ball be given under the auspices of the Girls' Friendly Society at the Town Hall Saturday night at 9 o'clock.

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Messrs. J. Llewellyn and Company, Ltd., will hold its 31st annual general meeting Monday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

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All departments of the service of the Municipal Council will observe office hours from 8:30 to noon and 2 to 4:30 o'clock beginning May 1, according to the Municipal Gazette. On Saturdays, the office hours will be from 8:30 to noon.

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The following announcements of leave granted to officers in the S.V.C. appear in the Municipal Gazette this morning: Captain R. W. Davis of the artillery, one year from April 12; Lieutenant E. B. Heston Smith of the Machine Gun Company, one year from April 24, and Lieutenant R. C. Young of the Engineers, eight months from April 10.

AMERICAN CO. OFFICERS

Messrs. Paul Chatom and R. F. Wilner have been elected second lieutenants of the American Company, Shanghai Volunteer Corps and the commissions are authorised for issue by the Municipal Council, according to the Municipal Gazette this morning. Mr. Wilner was formerly a sergeant in the unit and Mr. Chatom was an officer in in the American army during the war.

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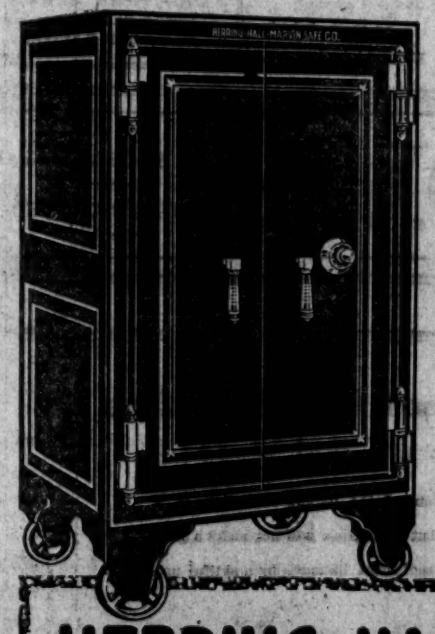

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'Putting The Next One Over' With 'Bugs' Baer

In the old days before the boll weevils got into the liquor crop and there weren't thirty rent days in a month, a fighter used to be a guy who fought.

Then the galloping Kinetoscope busted forth and the fighters started to get their hair cut and stall twenty rounds for the movies.

Now they part their hair in the middle and are busting out as Francis X. Bushwas and male Cheata Baras. There is more axle grease going on a fighter's hair comb than there is on axles. Remember what old John L. used to think about guys who parted their straw in the middle? That is, before he met Corbett? John L. figured he could flatten anything that wore hair, including the barbershop floor. Anybody that put goose soup on their skullpiece around John's department was due for a postgraduate course in the nearest hospital.

In Sullivan's time, pictures were limited to the kind that were taken with an ash barrel camera and a lens that would make a fine soup plate if it wasn't so cracked. The proprietor of the picture abattoir fastened his patients' necks in a wolf trap so they couldn't shimmy and spoil the works. The result was generally a portrait with a massacre expression that buttoned very close up around the ears. Also a pair of cross-eyed lamps that looked like a couple of shoebuttons on a bow-legged guy's boots. Put a set of cock-eyes like that on a whale and the poor bird would swim himself right out of the ocean. The photographer sold you the verdict at three dollars a short dozen and kept the plate so that he could blackmail you later.

Now the industry has reached such an excruciating point of development that the camera can spar with Kid Broad and come out uncracked. The Kid is some lens buster and was about the first fighter to capitalise his beatings. The Kid plays pirate parts, sometimes paling around with Ensign Kid and sometimes driving taxicabs. In garden scenes, they bury the Kid to his neck and he plays the cauliflower.

Jim Corbett is the duke of the profession. Jim is always hanging around neighborhoods where lead pipes are trumps. Somebody generally insults an Alderman's honest daughter. Jim takes off his three-ply kid gloves with the lace edging and starts in to sock one gross of assorted sizes and shapes of the very best thugs. As James throws a natural with either mitt, the roughians are soon staggering around like mice who took wood alcohol in mistake for rat poison. Jim is a sourball in the close-ups as there aint enough putty in the world to caulk up his wrinkles, but he sure can massage 'em pretty with his slapsticks. In one picture, he irons out two hundred hard-boiled playmates who think that blackjacks are lipsticks. All the pies in the Corbett comedies are made in boiler factories.

In the final fade-out with the Alderman's daughter, Jim's part is played by a substitute who does the kissing and other dare-devil work.

Benny Leonard is also a movie hound. He is busy fighting his way through a six-reeler under the direction of a gent who used to throw fish to the sea-lions and isn't skeered of anything. As fight pictures are barred in the U.S., Ben only uses his left hand.

And while you are carving the turkey's neck, don't forget Jack Dempsey in six thousand feet of celluloid recklessness, never seen before on any American stage, and very little in Europe.

MANY CHANGES IN MUNICIPAL STAFF

This morning's Municipal Gazette records the following changes in the Municipal staff:

Police Department.—Assistant Warder H. J. Hooper is invalided from April 1.

Long leave is granted to the following:

Superintendent J. Ramsay from April 20.

Senior Warder D. McKenzie from March 31.

Sergeant A. Groves from April 1.

Fire Department.—Mr. F. M. Howard, department engineer, was permitted to terminate his service on March 31.

Health Department.—Long leave is granted to Inspector D. P. W. Jones from October 23.

Probationer Nurse P. Cestare is permitted to terminate her service on June 30.

Public Works Department.—The appointment of Mr. W. C. Johnstone, clerical assistant, is confirmed under an agreement from October 7, 1919, terminable at three months' notice.

Electricity Department.—Mr. W. J. Williams, chief assistant engineer, is permitted to terminate his service on May 28, the date of expiry of his agreement.

Mr. L. Coulcher is appointed junior clerk in the distribution department on probation from April 1.

Educational Department.—Mrs. C. Irvin, temporary assistant mistress in the public school for Girls, was permitted to terminate her service on February 29.

Miss M. V. Radcliffe is appointed assistant mistress on probation in the Public School for Girls from May 1.

Sikh Constable No. 500, Harnam Singh, is discharged, invalided from April 7.

Sergeant A. J. Ferguson is permitted to terminate his service on November 15, the date of expiry of his leave.

MARINE CHANGES OF WEEK

The following changes in the merchant marine service took place during the week:

China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company—Mr. G. H. Maxre appointed chief officer of the Kiangyu; second officer of the Hsinchi, Mr. A. P. Goldergh, transferred to the Haean; second officer of the Haean, Mr. A. Tollefson, to acting chief officer; from sick leave, Mr. Charles Ward, to chief officer of the Kwangchi.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company—From reserve, Mr. E. V. Bishop, to acting chief mate of the Esang; chief mate of the Esang, Mr. R. Fox, placed on reserve.

Political Unrest Depresses Cotton Mart In Honkong

Buyers Afraid Of Disturbances Try To Sell Holdings At Big Reduction

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Hongkong, April 14.—Messrs. Polishwalla and Kotwall's cotton yarn report says: "Our yarn market remained in a depressed condition, owing to the political unrest in various parts of Kwangtung, especially in the vicinity of Canton which to a great extent scared buyers, who being afraid of further disturbances tried to part with their holdings at a reduction of from 5 to 10 dollars per bale. This further weakened the market. Clearances consequently were poor. A few foreign holders having shown a willingness to sell their stock, both spot and forward, at the present low rates, moderate business has been done—or about 4,000 bales at a decline of from 5 to 10 dollars per bale. The present reduction in price was especially marked in twelves and twenties, enquiry for which remained very dull. Total sales were 4,000 bales, unsold stock 3,800 bales, uncleared 16,000 bales, arrivals from Bombay 14,000 bales.

Raw cotton. Bengal and Chinese no arrivals and no stock. Nominal quotations: Bengal 45 to 32 dollars per picul; Chinese 48 to 56 dollars per picul.

OVERCOMING INFLUENZA.

How After-Effects are Dispelled.

The most serious difficulty that confronts all who fall victims of influenza is the problem of ridding their systems of the after-effects of the disease. Even in those cases where the attack is light, the after-effects are obstinate and severe. Normally bright and cheerful people become depressed and melancholy, their hair falls out, food causes distress and sleep is broken and unrestful. They develop "nerves," and sudden noises startle them.

The blood is the body's most dependable weapon in the fight against disease, and when the enemy is as violent as influenza the blood generally becomes spent and impure.

No time should be lost in strengthening the system, and at this time a reliable blood-builder such as Dr. Williams' pink pills, is the best remedy for regaining health. Dr. Williams' pink pills contain the necessary elements that go towards increasing and enriching the blood supply, and while they are doing this the starved nerves are fed and toned up by the new blood. At the same time the tonic properties of these pills strengthen the stomach, and make digestion easy.

If you are suffering from the after-effects of influenza, or are in weak health owing to any other cause traceable to impure watery blood or disordered nerves, NOW the time to begin Dr. Williams' pink pills for pale people. They are obtainable from druggists everywhere, or post free, one bottle for $1.50, six for $8, from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 95 Szechuen Road, Shanghai.

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Chinese Player Is Lawn Tennis Victor In London Contest

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 10.—In the lawn tennis covered courts championship at Queen's Club today the Chinese Cambridge undergraduate, Mr. Wu, defeated the New Zealander, Mr. McCarthy, who is also at Cambridge University, in the first round of the men's singles in five sets winning 25 games to the New Zealander's 22.

Golf

The return match between the Shanghai Recreation Club and Shanghai Junior Golf Club, will be played on Sunday on the Shanghai Race Course links by the courtesy of the Shanghai Golf Club. Players are requested to arrange their own times and to sign the list in the Rec's pavilion before starting.

The following are the players selected:

J. E. Lucas vs. F. Lloyd.
F. Jones vs. W. T. Bissett.
J. G. Adams vs. H. Manwaring.
H. S. Smyth vs. J. B. Ferrier.
G. B. Stormes vs. F. F. Ferrier.
A. Eek vs. J. Ross Young.
P. W. Reeves vs. D. McAllister.
W. S. Featherstonhaugh vs. Jas. Rush.
T. W. R. Wilson vs. G. E. Mardem.
Jes. Quayle vs. A. Braid.
Geo. Sale vs. A. Taylor.
J. L. Wade vs. W. S. Campbell.
G. Manwaring vs. W. R. Kinipple.
G. Norris vs. A. S. Allan.
A. A. Whyte vs. E. Clough.
H. Veitch vs. P. W. Ephgrave.
A. J. Clark vs. H. Robinson.
F. George vs. J. E. Wilson.
T. Travess vs. J. O. Barnes.
J. Wotten vs. F. B. Walker.
T. Veitch vs. E. J. Case.
A. T. Yiend vs. A. E. Hayward.
Geo. Bloom vs. J. J. Marshgreen.

GOLF CLUB TILTS

Members of the Shanghai Golf Club will compete for the president's cup on Saturday and Sunday, April 17 and 18. The conditions are 36 holes, medal play. This competition is open to all members, but is limited to a maximum handicap of 12. Members with handicaps over 12 may compete on that mark. The entrance fee is $1, the proceeds to go to a local charity. The April monthly cup will also be played on Saturday and Sunday next. The conditions are 18 holes, medal play on club handicap. The winner of this competition qualifies for the captain's cup.

Newman Is Winner Of Billiards Match

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 10.—The result of the billiards championship, concluded tonight, was as follows:

Newman	8,000
Reece	6,543

Hockey Today

The hockey team from the British cruiser Hawkins will play the Sikhs this afternoon at the Widows Monument ground at 2:45 o'clock. The match was arranged by the port chaplain, the Reverend C. E. Spencer. The Hawkins has a crack eleven.

Football Saturday

With the band from the Hawkins playing during the match, an Army-Navy football game will be staged at the Race Course Saturday when the sailors from the British flagship meet an eleven composed of returned soldiers. The game is to start at 3 o'clock and will draw a big crowd including every member of the Hawkins crew who is able to come ashore.

Unclaimed Cablegrams

Eastern Extension Telegraph Co.

March
21 Capt. Vincent Smith—Kew Garden.
22 Westphal—Shameen.
23 Davis Hsia—Manila.
23 Adbaretto care Amcruz—Saigon.
25 Abstaining—Paris

April
1 Boardman, Astor House—Dairen.
1 Yollern—Semarang.
3 Dessel—Ctr. Africa.
6 Wing Kee Chum, Hong Kok St.—Zamboanga.
6 Yufongsteco—Hongay.
8 Trogshen American Consul—Manila.
9 Olivier Compagnie—Saigon.
10 Kogan Palace Hotel—Dairen.
10 Yufongsteco—Hongay.
11 Caterina Johnston, 5 Range Road—Napoli.

Band Concert Sunday

The Municipal band will play the following program in the Town Hall on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock:

1. Overture—Leonora No. 3
2. Concerto D. Major for Violin with Orchestra
   Soloist: Mr. V. Siroldo
   (a) Allegro ma non troppo
   (b) Larghetto
   (c) Finale: Rondo
3. Seventh symphony
   Op. 92 A. Major
   (a) Poco Sostenuto-Vivace
   (b) Allegretto
   (c) Scherzo: Presto
   (d) Finale: Allegro

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The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.

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Shanghai Branch
Truscon Steel Co.
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Southard-Robertson Co.
Mustard & Co.
D. Moore & Co.,
American Trading Co.

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American Trading Co.

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Ponds Vanishing Cream
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TRUCKS, ELEVATING
The Barrett Cravens Co. (Multi Truck)
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Soviets Unable To Invade Poland

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solved. But while they believe the Allies wish to do business in Russian markets, they are still sceptical as to the immediate possibility of establishing trade relations that will leave their political domination of Russia unimpaired. In other words, they believe that so many political strings will be tied to the lifting of the blockade that it will be unacceptable to them.

The news of the Supreme Council's apparent abolition of the blockade came to Moscow in the form of a despatch to an American newspaper from Paris, picked up by the Soviet wireless. Boukharin, one of the Communist Party chiefs, announced it to the commissaries assembled at dinner in the Kremlin on the afternoon of January 17. At first there were wild jubilation, enthusiastic speechmaking, singing and slapping on backs. Dignified members of the Soviet Cabinet behaved like college boys after a football victory. Lenin, who was not present at the start, turned up later, however, and threw considerable cold water on the celebration. Even if the news were true, which he doubted, he said it was highly improbable that the Allies' ostensible change of front was sincere and was not merely camouflage for some new attempt at overthrowing the Soviets.

"Let us not cheer too soon," was in effect his advice.

So the Kremlin subsided into cynical suspicion of what was commonly referred to as the Entente's latest trick. Among the general public there was no marked reaction to the sensational tidings from Paris. Food prices fell slightly at first, but soon rose again higher than ever, and nowhere did any demonstration take place. Most people shared Lenin's doubts. Apathy was general.

"We will believe it when the first food shipments from abroad arrive," famished Muscovites said to themselves.

Armies Work On Railroads

Nevertheless the hope of peace is growing among Russians. What kind of peace it will be and how long it will endure no one will venture to prophesy. All, Bolshevist included, feel, however, that as long as the Soviets remain in power in Russia and Bolshevism does not spread to other lands, peace cannot be more than a truce in the international class warfare.

Meanwhile the proletarian rulers are going ahead with their reconstruction program without waiting for the badly needed aid from outside. Four of Trotsky's sixteen armies have been turned into "labor armies," which means that soldiers fresh from victories on military fronts are being obliged to work, still under military command and discipline, on the "economic front." They are used chiefly for building up the transport system and assuring shipment of food and fuel from the country to the cities.

The Bolshevist boast that not another Government in the world would dare to turn troops mobilised for fighting purposes into gangs of laborers immediately after they had triumphantly terminated a hard and bloody campaign which might well entitle them to rest, if not to depart from the labor armies.

Labor generally is being militarised to an amazing extent. Discipline is being imposed upon factory workers by the establishment of special tribunals with powers of courts martial. Communist commissaries, no longer required at the front, are being detached from their regiments and sent to stimulate production endeavor in industries and railroads. All the brains at the disposal of the Bolshevist—a wholly inadequate amount, as they admit themselves—are being concentrated on economic rehabilitation. But because of domestic shortage of brains, that is, of executive and technical minds, the process is faced with obstacles which may prove insurmountable, in the view of competent observers, unless the shortage can be overcome by importation.

Meanwhile a far larger measure of authority is being given those Russian technicians who are willing to accept Soviet employ without going in for sabotage. The principle of administration by committees is giving place to a system of one-man direction and responsibility, with a committee to serve rather as a Board of Directors than executive. Even now the Council of People's Commissaries is trying to find two men capable of filling the job of Commander in Chief and Food Controller.

HUNGER STALKS IN CITIES

The latter job is staggering in its scope. Its holder will probably exercise control, temporarily at least, over the three ways of communication, so that these may cooperate in the most efficient way in bringing food to the people. The food problem is essentially one of transportation. Every edible required to feed the starving urban populations exists plentifully somewhere in Russia. The difficulty lies in getting it to the cities from the far distant agricultural districts. By improving their complicated and cumbersome machinery of distribution the Soviets have managed to increase slightly the rations doled out in Petrograd and Moscow. But they can find no permanent remedy for undernourishment until there are locomotives enough to haul food trains from Siberia and the Ukraine. The daily number still in commission dwindles while the number being turned out by factories remains woefully insignificant. It needs no expert knowledge to realise that even when peace comes, dwellers in cities must continue to go hungry for many months, perhaps years, unless locomotives, and lots of them, are forthcoming from abroad.

Nobody in Russia relying wholly upon "Sovietsky" food—food handed out through official agencies—gets enough to eat except soldiers, a small percentage of heavy workers and high Soviet officials. Ordinary factory workers seldom receive as much as 60 percent of their alimentary requirements through the Government. The remainder they must buy at fantastically high prices from speculators. And though they themselves, in collaboration with central dictatorship, fix their own wages, they never earn enough to cover the swift-climbing cost of living. If this is the plight of the workers, that is, of the ruling class, the ghastliness of the situation confronting the less favored elements of the population may well be imagined.

Yet the peasant twenty miles outside of Moscow is living better than he has ever lived before in all the history of the Russian Empire.

He has more food than he can eat, more clothes than he can wear, more money than he can spend. In fact he refuses to sell his products for money except that proportion of them that he is compelled to turn over to the Soviets at a fixed price. In private trading he will take in exchange for his foodstuffs only manufactured articles, clothing and other things he needs.

CAPITALIST CLASS GROWING

City and country food speculation, which the dictatorship thus far confesses its inability to suppress or even control, is fast developing a new capitalist class right under the Communists' noses. One of the most painful sights in Russia is some pale, thin, tottering old woman paying out more than she earns in a week for a few lumps of sugar bought from a well-fed trader from the country in the Sukharevka, Moscow's open air market place.

In this despatch I have sought only to touch upon a few of the most salient phases of the Russian spectacle as it is at this moment, twenty-seven months after the social revolution gripped the nation in a clutch of steel that never has been relaxed since. There are innumerable aspects that cannot possibly be understood unless they are dealt with in fuller measure than is feasible in this article.

For instance, the fact that the dictatorship of the proletariat, despite its unquestioned despotism, has wholly failed as yet to establish in any important degree that practical Communism at which it aims, is comprehensible only when one has covered in considerable detail many angles of the situation. A man in Russia works and gets paid—generally speaking in accordance with the value of his work and lives in accordance with his income. He who earns more can buy more and consequently can live better. And if he can make enough money he can buy virtually anything pertaining to personal comfort. In that respect one's ability to purchase is bounded by one's purse—which is the antithesis of Communism.

SOUTHERN COTTON FIELDS INFESTED WITH BOLL-WEEVIL

Drastic Quarantine Proposed To Prevent Spread In Texas And Louisiana

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 11.—The Federal Agricultural Board has recommended the Secretary of Agriculture to enforce drastic quarantine over the cotton acreage in Texas and Louisiana which is infected with boll-weevil.

Washington, April 7 (delayed).—All the cotton states represented on the Conference of the Federal Horticultural Board to consider the measures to be taken to combat the reappearance of the cotton-worm in Taxes, stated that only drastic quarantine could prevent a disastrous spread.

The rest of the Board suggested that Texas should prohibit cotton growing in the infected area for three years and that the farmers should be compensated for the crop already planted. If the State of Texas fails to act, it is stated, the Department of Agriculture is prepared to restrict the movement of cotton and cotton-seed from Texas.

Japan's Press Law In Need Of Revision Declare Journalists

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, April 13.—The National Press Conference and General Meeting of the Japan Press Association, comprising all provincial newspapers, was held at the Osaka Hotel today. A resolution was passed urging (1) the revision of the Press Law in order to meet the progressive tendency of the times and (2) the improvement of the system of communications both internal and external, in order to meet the requirements of the modern press.

PRIVATE SHIPPING FIRM TO OPERATE LINER ARMENIA

Ex-Hamburg-Amerika Vessel Will Fly U.S. Flag On Anglo-German Route

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 11.—The Consolidated Maritime Line of New York has purchased from the Shipping Board the ex-Hamburg-Amerika Liner, Armenia, of 7,500 tons deadweight, for $755,000.

The vessel is intended for use on the old Hamburg-Amerika route between Germany, England and South America and will carry grain and general cargo.

A representative of the purchasers denied that the Line would cooperate with the Hamburg-Amerika Line.

New York, April 11.—Herr Cund, Director General of the Hamburg-Amerika Line, and two other representatives of German Shipping companies have arrived here, it is believed, in connection with the proposal that the 60 former Hamburg-Amerika routes be operated by ships under the American flag.

Ex-French Premier Accepts Invitation Of Chinese Republic

Painleve Coming To Develop New Sino-French Intellectual And Technical Relations

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 10.—In response to the invitation of the Chinese Republic, the former Premier, M. Painleve, will leave for China on April 15. The object of M. Painleve's visit to China is stated to be to "develop Sino-French intellectual and technical relations."

Voluntary Training For Army Insisted Upon By U.S. Senate

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 12.—The Senate today refused to eliminate the clause of the Army Reorganisation Bill providing for voluntary training, which was inserted by the House of Representatives.

An amendment limiting military training to youths between the ages of 18 and 21 was adopted. Another amendment providing for three hours daily to be devoted to educational lectures for all soldiers of the regular army was rejected.

New British Envoy To Japan Presents Credentials Today

Sir Charles Eliot Will Give Them To Crown Prince—Mr. Sato Honored By Emperor

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 13.—Owing to the absence of the Emperor at Hayhma Palace through indisposition, Sir Charles Eliot, the new British Ambassador, will present his credentials tomorrow morning to the Crown Prince who will convey them to the Emperor.

Tokio, April 13.—Mr. Aimaro Sato, the former Ambassador to America, has been appointed Chamberlain of the Household and will be attached to the household Prince Fushima.

Admiral Borret Is New Senior Officer Of Yangtsze Fleet

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 11.—Rear-Admiral G. H. Borret has been appointed senior naval officer on the Yangtsze River in succession to Commodore A. A. Ellison.

FOR STUDY OF THE SOVIET

Commission Of Experts Proposed At Strasburg Socialist Congress

Strasburg, February 26.—Proposals for the establishment of a commission of theoretical and technical experts to study the "realisation of a proletariat republic of Soviets" have been laid before the National Socialist Congress, in session here.

Reports read at the Congress show the Socialist Party in France had increased from 30,000 in January, 1919, to 133,000 in January, 1920.

Few incidents have occurred so far. British delegates have complained of their five-hour detention in Boulogne by detectives, saying that pamphlets and newspapers in their possession were seized and claiming the officers said to them: "You are Bolshevist and not constitutional Socialists."

It has been decided to allow the provincial delegates to decide the fate of members of the party who were recently expelled by the Socialists Executive Committee of the Department of the Seine for having refused to support nominees of the party who had voted for war measures in the Chamber of Deputies.

STOCK MART IN OSAKA FLOODED BY SALE ORDERS

Decision Of Bank Of Japan To Aid Brokers Is Assailed By The Newspapers

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, April 13.—The reopening of the stock market this afternoon only provided the opportunity for the pouring out of the week's accumulation of selling orders, including those from the interior.

The announcement that the Bank of Japan had decided to brace up the market had evidently no effect. The newspapers strongly oppose "Government paternalism" and criticise the Bank of Japan's decision to assist stock-brokers.

The general financial situation of the country does not call for alarm. When the inflation has been duly liquidated, the market will undoubtedly become healthier than before.

The cotton yarn market is at present panicky, operators being unduly alarmed over general financial conditions and anxious to liquidate at all costs.

Pro-Irish Leaflets Dropped On British Embassy In U.S.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 7 (delayed).—After the arrest of the pickets outside the British Embassy, several of the women Home Rulers hired an aeroplane in which they ascended and dropped pro-Irish leaflets over the Embassy.

Obituary

Dr. KENJI TAKAGI

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 12.—The death is announced of Dr. Kenji Takagi, chief physician of the Tokio Hospital. Dr. Takagi graduated at St. Thomas's Hospital, London. He was one of the best-known surgeons in Japan.

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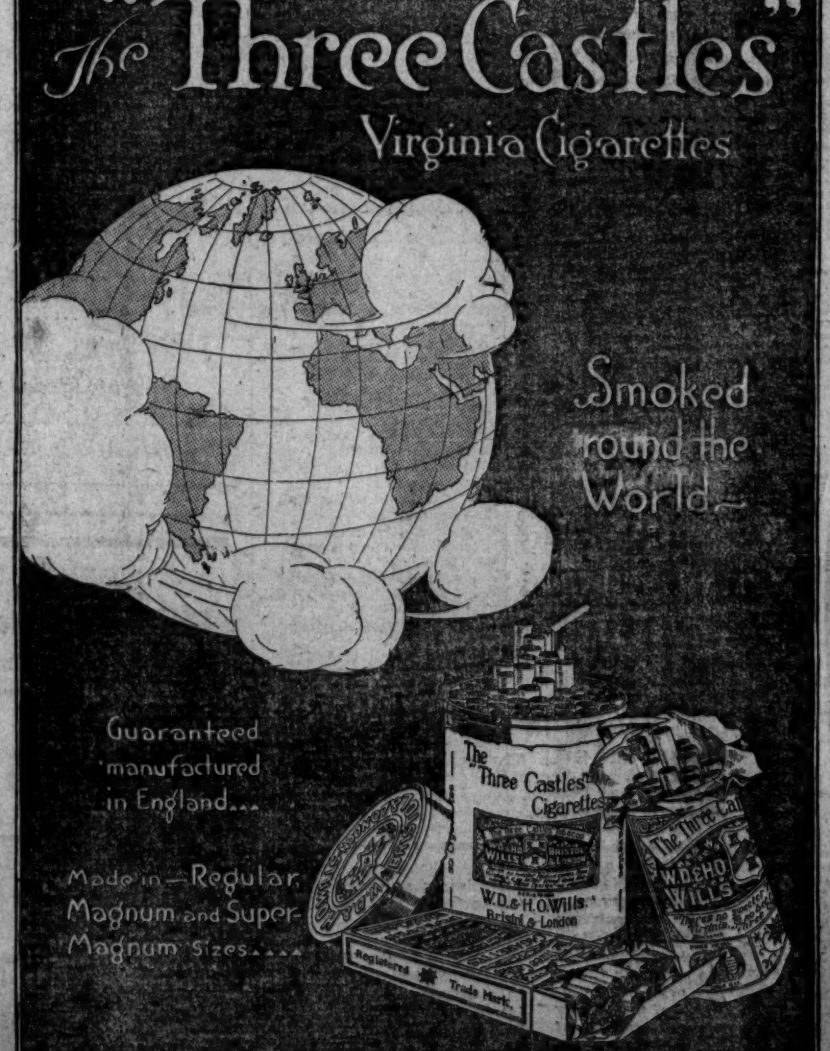
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Business and Official Notices

(Second Section)

The China Press

大陸報

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SHANGHAI, THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1920

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

In compliance with Italian Law it is hereby made known that on the 18th February, 1920 at the Italian Consulate, at Tientsin, in the presence of H.I.M's Consul, has been registered the limited liability Company named "SINO-ITALIAN BANK" with fully paid up capital of Italian Lire Gold: 4,000,000 and Chinese Dollars 1,200,000.

The Bank has its Head Office in Tientsin and Branch Offices at Shanghai, Peking, Hankow, Harbin. Its object is that of undertaking and carrying on all kinds of general banking operations, proper to similar banking Firms in Italy and China.

President of the Board of Directors: H. E. Shu Shih Ying.

Assistant President: H. E. Comm. Lionello Scelsi.

All positions in the Bank are to be filled in equal proportion by Italians and Chinese and it is also provided in the Statutes that all documents have to be signed jointly by one Official appoined by the Italian shareholders and one appointed by the Chinese.

28996

LOST

Two Bank drafts, letter Woo, (滬字) Nos. 106 and 107, for $2,000 totally, issued by the Heng Tah Native Bank, (恆大銀號) Tsinan on 21st day of 2nd moon, in the name of Tsi Shing Chen, (即興號) payable at the Tung Wei Bank, (通惠銀行) Shanghai, have been lost.

In addition to the declaration of the loss and cancellation of the said drafts, we hereby warn the public not to accept or negotiate the same.

Same notice is appearing in the Sin Wen Pao.

TSI SHING CHEN, TSINAN

Shanghai, April 15, 1920.

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THE SHANGHAI MUTUAL TELEPHONE CO., LTD.

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PHILIP H. COLE,
General Manager.

Shanghai, April 12th, 1920. 28931.

NOTICE

WE beg to give notice that as from the 31st day of March, 1920, we have entered into partnership as Consulting and Constructing Engineers, and will carry on our practice under the firm name of "Berents & Corrit," No. 123 Szechuen Road.

H. BERENTS, M. Am. Soc. C.E.
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JAVA CONSOLIDATED RUBBER & COFFEE ESTATES, LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Tenth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held on Tuesday, the 27th day of April, 1920 at 4 p.m. at No. 10 Canton Road, Shanghai, China.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 20th to the 27th April, 1920 both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

J. A. WATTIE & CO., LTD.
Secretaries & General Managers.

28994

The Cathay Trust, Limited

(In Liquidation)

HOLDERS of Ordinary Shares are hereby notified that an Eighth dividend of One Tael per share has been declared and will be payable at the offices of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, No. 3b Peking Road, between the hours of 10 a.m. and noon on and after the 15th day of April, 1920, against production of the Liquidators' Certificates for endorsement.

F. N. MATTHEWS,
Liquidator.

Shanghai, 12th April, 1920.

28984

THE CHINA IMPORT AND EXPORT LUMBER CO., LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Eighteenth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the offices of the General Agents and Managers, No. 6 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai (2nd Floor) on Friday, 30th April, 1920, at 4.00 p.m.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 23rd to the 30th April, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
General Agents and Managers.

Shanghai, April 14th, 1920.

28985

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the commercial business of Tata Sons & Co., of Bombay, has been converted into a Private Limited Company, under the style of R. D. TATA & CO., LTD., with a Capital of Rs. 15,000,000, with Mr. R. D. Tata as Chairman of the Board of Directors. Accordingly, the business in Shanghai of Tata Sons & Co. will be carried on henceforward by R. D. Tata & Co., Ltd., who have taken over all contracts and liabilities and will carry out and discharge the same.

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Dated Shanghai, April 14th, 1920.

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3rd EXTRA RACE MEETING, 1920
Saturday, 17th April.

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A HURDLE RACE
THREE HANDICAPS
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The Races will commerce at 1.30 p.m. prompt.

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A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.

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LOST

A Bank draft, letter Hai, (海字) No. 7, for Taels 1,000, issued by the Sing Kong Firm at Chou-chwang, (州莊新康號) on 8th day of 2nd moon, in favor of the Heng Shing Teh, (恆興德) payable at the Teh Chen Woo, Shanghai (德順和) has been lost.

In addition to the declaration of the loss and nullification of the said draft at the firm concerned, we hereby warn the public not to negotiate the same.

Similar notice also appears in the Shun Pao and Sin Wan Pao.

YUEN SUN TAI, TSINGTAO
源生泰啓

Shanghai, April 13, 1920

25949

Little Brothers, Limited

The above Company was Registered and Incorporated at H. B. M. Consulate-General on March 26, 1920.

The undermentioned will sign for the Company.

FOR LITTLE BROTHERS, LD.,
W. J. HAWKINGS,
Director.

FOR LITTLE BROTHERS, LD.,
F. A. MOODY,
Director.

The temporary address of the Company is No. 7A Canton Road. Telegraphic Address:—"Hwameo." Telephone. C. 2349.

28895

The International Recreation Club

KIANGWAN RACES

63rd MEETING.
24th April, 1920.
(Saturday)

First Saddling Bell at 1.00 p.m. Sharp.

FOR ATTENTION OF MEMBERS:

Entries for all events close at 7 p.m. on Friday, 16th April, 1920, at the Club House, 126, Bubbling Well Road.

Entry forms may be obtained upon application to the undersigned.

By order,
Y. S. DAY,

Shanghai 10th April, 1920

28968

Municipal Notification

No. 2702

7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920

Price of Issue until further notice 92½ per cent.

Under the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent Loan of 1920.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls 1,000, Tls 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.

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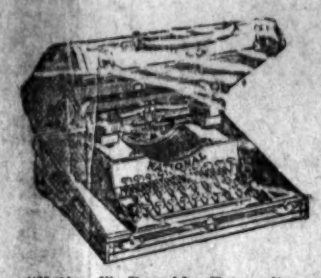

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NOTICE

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By the order of Board of Directors,
FU SIAO EN,
Managing Director.

28966

Dr. OKS, M.D.

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28917

Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the office of Messrs. Scott, Harding & Co., 6, Peking Road, Shanghai, on Friday the 30th April 1920, at 4 o'clock p.m.

The Transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 21st to 30th April, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.
W. GATER,
Secretary.

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Business and Official Notices are Continued on Page 9

HOUSES TO LET

KULING HOUSE for rent. To let, summer 1920, the old McMurray house, lot 100, rental Tls. 350. Inquire McMurray, 42 Seward Road, or write J. E. Brown, Luchowfu, Anhwei.

28976 A. 23

TO LET, large foreign style residence, including garden, shrubbery, stables, garage, etc. Water and electric light. Situated 17 Arsenal Road, southward of Ste, Catherine's Bridge, about 10 minutes walk from tram line. Visiting hours: 10 a.m. to noon.

28965 A. 18

TO LET at Tsingtao, a four-roomed furnished bungalow, kitchen and servant's quarters, on beach, during the months of May and June. For particulars, apply to Box 543, THE CHINA PRESS.

28972 A. 15

ADVERTISER wants party to take over rent of four-roomed house in town, and purchase furniture and fixtures outright. Everything good and complete in every detail. Occupant to take possession about July 1st. Please apply to Box 525, THE CHINA PRESS.

28936 A. 15

TO LEASE, large comfortable house, ample servants' quarters, garage and stable, 126 Jessfield Road, formerly 20 Robinson Road at Jessfield Road. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, No. 51 Szechuen Road.

28761

EDUCATIONAL

LADY will teach new system of music. You can read music in one month, guaranteed. If not money returned. Apply Room 47, Hotel de France.

MISCELLANEOUS

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28927 A. 17

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28978

BRITISH firm has an opening for a young lady with a good knowledge of Russian, for general correspondence. Replies, which should give age, experience and qualifications, will be treated as confidential. Apply to Box 552, THE CHINA PRESS.

28990 A. 16

WANTED, export man, expert in China produce, must be thoroughly posted in the local market. State salary, or salary and commission wanted. Apply to Box 542, THE CHINA PRESS.

28971 A. 15

WANTED a Chinese lady stenotypist, one with some knowledge of English and general office work. Apply in writing, giving references and stating experience and salary required, to Mr. H. M. Cumine, Architect and Estate Agent, No. 38 Kiangse Road.

28944

WANTED: To tell you how you can prepare for a better salary in your spare time. Office 15a, International Correspondence Schools, 11c Nanking Road, Shanghai.

APARTMENTS

TO LET
From April 15th, a furnished frontroom with verandah and bathroom. Apply No. 14 Quinsan Gardens, Tel. No. 432.

Connaught House
8 Quinsan Gardens
Board - Residence
Apply Mrs. G. POLLOCK.

TO LET, with board, from April 1st, a comfortable attic-flat, comprising two large rooms, a small room, modern bathroom, and large landing. Suitable for married couple or two bachelors. Apply to Box 471, THE CHINA PRESS.

TO LET furnished house containing 6 rooms, large garden, garage. Rent, including taxes, telephone, and water, Taels 175, Western District. Apply to Box 559, THE CHINA PRESS.

29007 A. 15.

WANTED, a few table boarders, good food, good attention. For terms, apply to Box 550, THE CHINA PRESS.

28987 A. 18

TO LET, comfortable large furnished room with attached bathroom. Apply 50 Range Road.

28977 A. 15

NICELY furnished rooms to let, with board, use of telephone, etc. Apply 78 Bubbling Well Road West 1473.

28946 A.20.

TO LET, one large front-room with bathroom and verandah attached. hot and cold water. Apply 23 North Szechuen Road. Phone North 2554.

28910 A. 16.

TO LET, furnished house, Western district, large garden, tennis lawn, garage, stabling, all modern convenience, for 5 or 6 months from 1st May. Apply to Box 492, THE CHINA PRESS.

28859

SITUATIONS WANTED

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28997 A. 17.

COMPETENT stenographer desires extra work outside of office hours. Apply to Box 556, THE CHINA PRESS.

29000 A. 17.

AMERICAN-born Chinese, conversant with accounting, bookkeeping, shipping, salesmanship, engineering and general office routine, seeks employment. Address Qa-772-a Chengtu Road.

28981 A. 15

YOUNG lady (British) stenotypist, rapid though beginner, fair knowledge of French, quick at figures. Apply to Box 554, THE CHINA PRESS.

28992 A. 16

EXPERIENCED steno-typist is open for engagement. Apply to Box 545, THE CHINA PRESS.

28974 A. 15

YOUNG MAN, with three years office experience, seeks position as general office assistant. Apply to Box 539, THE CHINA PRESS.

28961 A. 15

CAPABLE clerk seeks immediate engagement. Experienced in bookkeeping, typewriting, invoicing, filing. Have export knowledge. Good references. Apply to Box 536, THE CHINA PRESS.

28955 A. 15

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 14

PROFESSIONAL

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28959 A. 16

HOUSES WANTED

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28983 A. 16

WANTED for six to eight months, a furnished house with garage in western district or French-town by bachelor. Apply, stating location and rent, to Box 546, THE CHINA PRESS.

28975 A. 15

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28920 A. 16.

EXCHANGE AND MART

WANTED, two-seater Dodge Brothers motor-car. In replying, state miles car has run, general condition of car and price, etc. Apply to Box 557, THE CHINA PRESS.

29003 A. 17.

FOR SALE, Hupmobile in first-class condition. Owner leaving for home. No reasonable offer refused. Apply to Box 558, THE CHINA PRESS.

29005 A. 16.

FOR SALE, brand-new, double-barrelled hammerless sporting gun, 12-bore, by good makers. Apply to Box 549, THE CHINA PRESS.

28986 A. 15

FOR SALE as a going concern, one of the leading Parisian ladies' stores. Good investment. For particulars, please apply to Box 541, THE CHINA PREESS.

28970 A. 15

SIX-CYLINDER Studebaker Limousine for sale: lightly used, well kept, and in perfect condition, handsome car, imported French upholstery, trial by appointment: Tls. 2,400 cash. Owner going home. Apply, letter only, to F. N. Matthews, 3d. Peking Road.

28963 A. 15

SCRIPPS - BOOTH, six-cylinder roadster for sale. Fast, flexible, and easy to drive; in good order, but requires repainting: owner has bought larger car. Apply, letter only, to F. N. Matthews, 3d Peking Road.

28963 A. 15

TWO hundred tons of galvanized corrugated iron sheets for sale. Apply to Box 516, THE CHINA PRESS.

28966

FOR SALE, one Paige six-cylinder five-seater touring car in good condition. Owner going home. Apply to Box 491, THE CHINA PRESS.

28858

HUDSON touring car, newly painted, excellent running condition, good tyres. See this and make an offer. Apply to Box 491, THE CHINA PRESS.

28863

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund 2,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,100,000

Head Office:
38 Bishopsgate, London, E. C.

Court of Directors:
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner, Chairman.
Sir Duncan Carmichael.
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
W. H. Neville Goschen, Esq.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

Bankers:
The Bank of England.
The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
The London County and Westminster and Parrs Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

Amritsar	Ipoh	Pukst
Bangkok	Karachi	Rangoon
Batavia	Klang	Saigon
Bombay	Kobe	Seremban
Calcutta	Kuala Lumpur	Singapore
Canton	Madras	Shanghai
Cebu	Manila	Sourabaya
Colombo	Medan	Taiping
Delhi	New York	(F. M. S.)
Haiphong	Peking	Tavoy
Hankow	Penang	(Lower Burma)
Hongkong	Yokohama	Tientsin
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Shanghai Branch 18 The Bund.

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought, Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Capital .... Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve .... Frs. 50,000,000.00

Succursales et Agences:

Bankok	Hanoi	Saigon
Battambang	Hongkong	Shanghai
Canton	Mengtze	Singapore
Djibouti	Noumea	Tientsin
Poudichery	Peking	Tourane
Haiphong	Papoete	
Hankeou	Pnom-Penh	

Bankers:
In France: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et commercial; Societe Generalle.
In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address "Knabex."

Capital .....Yen 10,000,000

Head Office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

P. C. KONG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors ... $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG
Court of Directors:
Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr, Chairman.
A. H. Compton, Esq., Deputy Chairman.
J. W. C. Bonnar, Esq.
G. M. Dodwell, Esq.
C. S. Gubbay, Esq.
P. H. Holyoak, Esq.
Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone.
W. L. Pattenden, Esq.
J. A. Plummer, Esq.
Ross Thomson, Esq.
Chief Manager.
Hongkong—N. J. Stabb.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Penang
Bangkok	Johore	Rangoon
Batavia	Kobe	Saigon
Bombay	Kuala Lumpur	S. Francisco
Calcutta	London	Shanghai
Canton	Lyons	Singapore
Colombo	Malacca	Sourabaya
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Hankow	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Harbin	New York	Vladivostock
Hollo	Peking	Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT,
Acting Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) .	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government	Kup. Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: Petrograd.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Milan: Credito Italiano.

FAR EASTERN BRANCHES:

Bombay	Hailar	Nicolayewsk
Chanchun	Hankow	O/Amur
(Kwan-chendze)	Harbin	Peking
	Hongkong	Shanghai
Chefoo	Manchouli	Tientsin
Dairen (Dalny)	Newchwang	Vladivostock
		Yokohama

Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, and Dollars. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
S. JASTRZEMBSKI.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

The Bank Of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital . $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,298,522.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,983.68

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifong	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interests allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

Sung Han-chang,
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid-up Capital ... Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves ..... Fr. 12,027,956

Head office: BRUSSELS
London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 12 Place de la Bourse
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.

Agents:
Manchester: 31 Mosley Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

THE BANK OF CANTON, LIMITED.

Incorporated 1912

Capital (fully paid)	H.$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund...	H.$ 400,000.00
Investment reserve fund ...	H.$ 40,000.00

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc.	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.
Paid-Up Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund $01,347.41
Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.
FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

Shen Chu Hsu, Manager.
Shu Chin Mih, Sub-Manager.
C. C. Yang, Sub-Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Owned by
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK.

Capital & Surplus U.S.$10,000,000
Undivided Profits U.S. $450,000

Head Office:
National City Bank Building,
55 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate E.C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan
San Francisco Office:
?22 Montgomery Street

Branches:

China	Philippines	
Shanghai	Manila	
Peking	Cebu	
Tientsin		
Tsingtau	Straits Settlements	
Hankow	Singapore	
Hongkong		
Canton	Dominican Republic	
Manchuria	Santo Domingo	
Harbin		
India	San Pedro de Macoris	
Bombay		
Calcutta	Sanchez	
Rangoon		
Japan	Santiago	
Yokohama		
Kobe	Puerto Plata	
Java		
Batavia	Panama	
Soerabaya	Panama	
	Colon	

Branches of THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Uruguay
Buenos Aires	Montevideo
Once (Buenos Aires)	Venezuela
Rosario	Caracas
Belgium	Maracaibo
Antwerp	Siberia
Brussels	Vladivostok
Spain	Italy
Madrid	Genoa
Barcelona	
Brazil	Porto Rico
Bahia	San Juar
Pernambuco	Colombia
Porto Alegre	Medellin
Rio de Janeiro	Russia
Santos	Moscow
Sao Paulo	Petrograd
Chile	South Africa
Santiago	Cape Town
Valparaiso	Trinidad
Ponce	Port of Spain
Porto Rico	

Branches in Havana and 21 of the principal cities of Cuba.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

T. G. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

中 華 學 行 Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917.)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916.
Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital ..	$2,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	$1,020,000
Reserve Fund	$ 54,000

Managing Director:
T. CLARENCE SUN
Deputy Managing Director:
NIEH CHI-WEI

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi
Hankow	Hangchow	Wuhu
Nanking	Ningpo	London
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York
Hsuchow	Canton	S. Francisco
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio
Antung	Chengchow	Kobe
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Osaka
	Yokohama	

And also other principal cities in foreign countries.

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
S. 441 Ningpo Road.
Tel. Central 1929 Managers' Office
Tel. Central 2618 General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. SUN, Manager.
T. D. Tar, Sub-Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(Netherlands Trading Society.)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Penang
Bandoeng	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Soerakarta
Langsa	Tebing-Tinggi
Makassar	Tegal
Medan	Telok-Beton
Padang	Tjilatjap
Palembang	Weltevreden
Pekalongan	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 81,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

Head Office & Branches;
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, and Lanchi.
Domestic Agencies;
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.
Foreign Correspondents;
London, New York, Amsterdam, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Makodata, Seoul, and Fusan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

Drafts issued and telegraph transfers effected.

Commercial Credits established.

Loans and Credits granted on approved securities.

Interests allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Pounds Sterling, Gold Dollars, Guilders, Yen, Taels, and Dollars according to arrangements.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

Savings Deposits at 4% compound interest.

LI MING, Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.
Telephones: C. 3145, Mgr's. Office.
Telephones: C. 2147, General Office.
CABLE ADDRESS:
"CHINDUSBANK."

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914. and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad; Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital .. £1,500,000
Paid up Capital 750,000
Reserve Fund 750,000

Head Office, 15 Gracechurch Street, London, E. C. 3.

London Bankers:
BANK OF ENGLAND
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	(Calcutta)	New York
Colombo	Kandy	Penang
Delhi	Karachi	Port Louis
Galle	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Hongkong	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
		Singapore

Shanghai Branch.
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EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. CHAMPKIN, Manager.

Asia Banking Corporation

CAPITAL $4,000,000 SURPLUS $1,100,000
An American Bank
Cable: BANKASIA Tel. 5'hai C. 1225

Head Office: New York City
Head Office for the Far East: Shanghai
Corner Kiukiang and Kiangse Roads

Other Branch Offices:
Canton, Changsha, Hankow, Hongkong, Manila, Peking and Tientsin

SIXTH ITALIAN CONSOLIDATED 5% LOAN 1920 SUBSCRIPTION DATE EXTENDED

By cable advice from Rome, we are informed that the period of subscription to the Italian Government Bonds has again been extended and will now expire on April 25th.

We feel sure there are still many Italians as well as people of other nationalities in this locality who should subscribe to this Loan, and we wish to call to the attention of all that the time is getting short.

The Bonds are free from all taxes, both present and future, are being sold at the issue price of Lire 87.50 per Lire 100 and yield 5% interest on the par value, which is 5.71% on on the issue price.

An investment of about Tls. 3,200 will yield, at the present rate of exchange, an anhual income of lire 5,000.

The rate of exchange is the most favorable now of any time since the subscription started.

STOCKHOLDING BANKS
Anglo and London, Paris National Bank, San Francisco
Bankers' Trust Company, New York City
Continental & Commercial National Bank, Chicago, Ill.
First National Bank of Portland, Oregon
Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

PARK-UNION

FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION
Fully Paid Capital and Surplus $2,250,000
HEAD OFFICE, NEW YORK
Owned and controlled By
The National Park Bank, New York Union Bank of Canada

BRANCHES:
SAN FRANCISCO SEATTLE
PARIS TOKYO YOKOHAMA

SHANGHAI BRANCH: 1 Kiukiang Road. Telephone C. 1174

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK LTD.

AS a customer of this institution, you are entitled to the best business advice, all the facilities, and convenience of the Bank.

WE shall be pleased to meet you personally, and render you every possible assistance.

YOUR business is solicited with a pledge that it will be handled with accuracy, promptness and courtesy.

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"
K. P. Chen, General Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on April 13, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	15-20
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	18-20
Cod	„	14-16
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	12-14
Pomfret	„	30-40
Salmon	„	18-20
Samli	„	none
Soles	„	18-20
Whitebait	„	12-14
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	each	60-80
Hare	„	none
Eggs	per doz.	16-18
Fowl	per lb.	22-24
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	20-25
Quail	„	20-22
Snipe	„	12-18
Teal	„	16-18
Turkey	per lb.	60-65
Woodcock	each	35-45
Wild Duck	„	35-40
Wild Geese	„	none
Wild Pigeons	„	none
Plover	each	10-15
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	16-20
Bananas	„	8-10
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	6-7
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	25-35
Oranges	per lb.	12-16
Peaches	per lb.	none
Pears	„	12-14
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	none
Plums	„	none
Pumeloes	each	15-20
Pineapples		none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	per lb.	none
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Broad Beans	per lb.	4-5
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	6-8
Cabbage	each	5-10
Carrots	per bunch	3-4
Cauliflower	each	10-20
Celery	per bunch	8-16
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	„	12-14
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	40-50
Onions	„	12-14
Parsnips	per bunch	5-8
Peas	per lb.	8-10
Potatoes	per picul	$4.00-4.50
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	„	12-15
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	$3.80
Flour, Australian	„	$3.50
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.50
Rice	200 lb.	$8.40
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	17
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 18.00
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

F. J. W. Melville.
Chief Inspector.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised	Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed	„ 150,000,000
Capital paid up....	„ 75,000,000
Reserve	„ 30,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: Andre Berthelot
General Manager: A. J. Pennotta

HEAD OFFICE:
74 Rue Saint Lazare, Paris

BRANCHES:
Marseilles, Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Vladivostock, Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Yunnanfu, Saigon, Haiphong, Swatow and Yokohama.

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
In New York: Messrs. Redmond & Co., New York.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts

Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted Savings accounts in Gold and local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital	$2,000,000
Paid up Capital	2,000,000
Reserve Fund	200,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund.
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

LI TSE FONG,
Manager.

Cost Of Universal Training

(*New York Times*)

Representative Mondell, the Republican floor leader, objects to universal military training solely on the ground that it would cost too much, $700,000,000 a year. The presumption is that if his figures are wrong and greatly in excess of estimates carefully prepared by the War Department, he will not persist in his opposition. The practical value of the system as an insurance against war he would not deny. Chairman Julius Kahn of the Military Affairs Committee asserts that the annual cost of universal training would be $131,000,000. He explains:

"Under the plan for universal training as proposed in the Senate bill it will cost about $34 per man per month while he is at the camps, or a total for 600,000 men of about $20,400,000 per month. If the training period shall be four months the total cost would be $81,000,000. Say we add $50,000,000 for possible contingencies, and the total cost of the training will be in the neighborhood of $131,000,000.

These figures did not originate with Chairman Kahn. In a speech in New York on Jan. 31 Senator Wadsworth said that "by providing for the gradual reduction of the size of the regular army establishment we will save $120,000,000, while the universal training feature, according to the estimates of the War Department, will cost $130,000,000." Today the sum of $1,800 a year, he said, was spent upon a soldier of the regular army. Mr. Wadsworth calculates that at the end of six years the country would be paying under the citizen army plan of the Senate Reorganisation bill only $176 a year to train, equip and support a soldier. Meanwhile, the regular army would be reduced to a minimum.

Mr. Kahn thinks that the cost of $1,800 a year for an enlisted man—during the war it was $2,000—can now be reduced to $1,600. So much the better for the establishment of a system of universal training. If it can be maintained at a cost far below Mr. Mondell's estimate, the cry of economy loses most of its force, and some other objections not as creditable will have to be urged against universal training. It is significant that of 2,000 temporary officers recently discharged from the United States Army 1,868 were in favor of a citizen army, according to a questionnaire filled out by them.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B. ..	$550 B.
Chartered	£80
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	Tls. 440
North China	Tls. 160
Union of Canton .	Hk. 180
Yangtsze	$247½ B.
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 21½ B.
Fire Insurances.	
China Fire	$138
Hongkong Fire ..	$310 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def. ..	$210
Indo-China Pref. .	$20
"Shell"	215/–
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 50 B.
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 84½ B
Mining	
Taiping	Tls. 22½ S.
Oriental Cons. ...	25/–
Raub	$1
Docks	
Hongkong Dock .	Tls. 150 B.
Shanghai Dock ...	Tls. 181
New Eng. Works .	Tls. 27½ B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf ..	Tls. 140 S.
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 82 B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 60 B.
China Land	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land ...	Tls. 63½ S.
Weihaiwei Land .	Tls. 8
Thai Hotels Ltd. .	Tls. 16 B.
China Realty (ord.)	Tls. 68
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
Ewo (ord.) Tls.	Tls. 720
Ewo Pref	Tls. 82
Laou-kung-mow ..	Tls. 400
Oriental	Tls. 305
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 400
Kungyik	Tls. 70
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 47½
Yangtszepoo Pref. .	Tls. 85
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
Chiza Sugar	Tls. 182 B.
Green Island	Tls. 6½
Langkats	Tls. 17¼ B.
Major Bros	Tls. 5
Thai Sumatra ...	Tls. 80 B.
Stores	
Hall & Holts	Tls. 12 S.
Llewellyn	$80
Lane, Crawford ...	Tls. 88
Moutrie	$32
Watson	$7
Weeks	Tls. 11
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 5½ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.25 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 8¼ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3¼ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21 B.
Batu Anam 1918 .	Tls. 0.55 B.
Bukit Toh Alang .	Tls. 1.60 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.55 B.
Chemor United ..	Tls. 0.70 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 5
Cheng	Tls. 1¼ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2¼ B.
Dominion	Tls. 4½ B.
Gula Kalumpong .	Tls. 5 B.
Java Consolidated.	Tls. 11½ B.
Kamunting	Tls. 3¼ B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.60
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 8 S.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 4 B.
Kroewoek Java ...	Tls. 10 B.
Padang	Tls. 7 B.
Pengkalan Durian .	Tls. 3 B.
Permata	Tls. 1 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.50 B.
Samagaga	Tls. 0.57½ B.
Seekee	Tls. 1 B.
Semambu	Tls. 0.60 B.
Senawang	Tls. 5 B.
Shanghai Klebang .	Tls. 0.60 B.
Shanghai Malay ..	Tls. 6
S'hai Malay pref. .	Tls. 9¼ B.
Shanghai Pahang .	Tls. 0.80 B.
Sungala	Tls. 0.50
Sungei Duri	Tls. 7 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3½ B.
S'hai Kalantan ...	Tls. 0.50 B.
S'hai Seremban ...	Tls. 0.75 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.65 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 12 B.
Tebong	Tls. 2 S.
Tjobri	Tls. 4¾ B.
Ziangbe	
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber .	Tls. 350
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13 S.
Shanghai Trams ..	Tls. 64½ B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 15 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 40
Shanghai Mercury .	Tls 25
S'hai. Telephone ..	Tls. 73 B.
S'hai Waterworks .	Tls. 100 B.

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Shanghai Produce & Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, April 14, 1920.

Japan-China S. & W. Co.
Tls. 48.00 April
Tls. 49.10 May
Tls. 49.50 June

Nisshi Bosoki Kaisha
Tls. 13.50 April
Tls. 13.50 May
Tls. 14.20 June

Shanghai P. & S. Exchange
Tls. 51.00 April
Tls. 53.00 May
Tls. 54.10 June

Local Yarn for Standard, 16's
Tls. 180.00 April
Tls. 180.00 May
Tls. 180.00 July
Tls. 181.50 August

Local Yarn for Standard 20's
Tls. 209.50 May
Tls. 210.10 July

Water Moon 16/20's
Tls. 190.50 April
Tls. 194.50 May
Tls. 194.20 June

Tungchow Cotton
Tls. 31.50 April

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, April 14, 1920.

Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 6/5 = Tls. 3.13
@ exch. 73.8 = Mex. $4.22
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,
@ 127¼ = Tls. 0.79
@ 73.8 = Mex. $1.06
Mex. Dollars: Market Rate 73.4625
Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 187
Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111
Copper Cash per tael Tls. 187.200
Native Interest ..... Tls. 08

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 69¾d.
Bank Rate of Discount 6%
Market Rate of Discount:
3 m/s. ..... —
4 m/s. ..... —
6 m/s. ..... —
Ex., Paris on London Fr. 63.56
Ex., New York on London T.T. G.$3.92¼

Exchange Opening Quotations

London ..... T.T. 6/5
At 10 a.m. rates declined to 6s. 4d. T.T.
At 11.40 a.m. rates declined to 6s. 3d. T.T.
London ..... Demand 6/5¼
India ..... T.T. 276
Paris ..... T.T. 2050
Paris ..... Demand 2053
New York ..... T.T. 127
New York .... Demand 127¼
Hongkong ..... T.T. 72
Japan ..... T.T. 37
Batavia ..... T.T. 327

Bank's Buying Rates

London ....4 m/s. Cdts. 6/9½
London ....4 m/s. Docy. 6/9¾
London ....6 m/s. Cdts. 6/10¾
London ....6 m/s. Docy. 6/11
Paris ..... 4 m/s. 2200
New York..4 m/s. Docy. 137¾

Tourists' Exchange

@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates
£10 @ exch. 6/5½ = Sh. Tls. 30.97
G.$20 @ exch. 127 = Sh. Tls. 39.37
Fr. 250 @ exch. 2070 = Sh. Tls. 12.08

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BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 6,000 ..... = Tls. 100
" 100..... = Mex. 2.28

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today's Bank Buying Rate For Roubles
Roubles 13,000 .... = Tls. 100
" 100 .... = Mex. $1.04

Exchange Shop Rates

Buying: 100 Old Roubles $1.55
" 100 New " $1.00
Selling: 100 Old " $1.65
" 100 New " $1.10

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR APRIL

Hk. Tls. 2.44 @ 7/4¼ $1
" 1 @ 2163 Fr. 24.10
" 0.64 @ 141¼ Gold $1
" 1 @ 32½ Yen. 3.43
" 1 @ 314½ Rs. 3.50
" 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
" 1 @ — Roubles —

Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, April 14, 1920.

OFFICIAL
Anglo Javas Tls. 8.75 Cash
Tls. 9.25 June
Tls. 9.00 Cash
Chempedaks Tls. 5.00
Consolidated Tls. 3.00
Dominions Tls. 5.00
Kotas Tls. 5.00
Taipings Tls. 1.00
Tls. 1.10
Ziangbes Tls. 5.25
Tls. 5.50 Cash
Tls. 5.60
Tls. 5.65 June
Shanghai Gas Tls. 15.50
Shanghai Tug (ord.) Tls. 50.00
Ewo Cotton (ord.) Tls. 730.00 June
Tls. 735.00 June
Langkats (Com.) Tls. 17.25
Shanghai Docks Tls. 132.00 June
S. & H. Wharves Tls. 135.00
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.85
Semambus Tls. 0.75
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 70.00 June

UNOFFICIAL
S.M.C. 7% Debs 1920 Tls. 92.50
Shanghai Gas 6% Debs
Anglo Javas Tls. 9.00
Padangs Tls. 7.50
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.80
Ziangbes Tls. 5.50
Tls. 5.60
Shanghai Lands Tls. 62.50
Shanghai Tugs (ord.) Tls. 50.00

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Transactions

Shanghai, April 14, 1920.

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Ziangbes Tls. 5.75 June

UNOFFICIAL
Anglo Javas Tls. 8.50 Cash
Anglo Javas Tls. 9.00 Cash
Dominions Tls. 5.00 Cash
Hall & Holtz Tls. $11.00
Taipings Tls. 0.87.50
Taipings Tls. 1.00
Ziangbes Tls. 5.25
Repahs Tls. 0.70

Exchange Market

Messrs. Maitland, Fearon and Brand report as follows in their exchange circular for week ending Wednesday, April 14:

Exchange:—The London price for "spot" silver at 69¼d. is 2¾d. lower than last week. The quotation for two months forward delivery at 66¼d. is 5¾d. down. The "spot" rate has probably been supported by small buying and the fall in the New York, London cross-rate which at 392¼ is 12¼ points lower than last week. The price for New York silver 120½ is about 8 points down.

With a continuous demand for Gold remittances, and very little cover offering our rate for T.T. on London has declined 8d. to 6/d., Gold Dollars during the week fell from 139 to 123. The market closed weak with a fair demand running for T.T. on London and unless a recovery in silver takes place is likely to go lower.

The stock of Sycee, Bar Silver, Mexican and Chinese Dollars totals approximately Tls. 57,800,000, a decline of Tls. 1,350,000 since last week.

The stocks are reported as follows:

Sycee and Bar Silver Tls. 41,255,000.

Mexican and Chinese Dollars $22,740,000.

Hankow Market

Hankow, April 7, 1920.

Finance and Money Market

A few Bills were offering as rates fell, but generally speaking no Bills came out in the quantity they did some months ago when rates weakened. Sterling was in some demand, and there was a certain amount of inter-Bank business. Taels T.T. on Shanghai,—Chinese Market, 96.9, Foreign market 96.85, the first time these two markets have been together for some time. There was a fair demand. Dollars fell from 70.8-71 to 70.65-70.85 buyers and sellers respectively. Interest 10 percent. Changsha Exchange Nominal.

IMPORTS

Piece Goods:—The is good enquiry for stock Whites at firm prices Greys are steady. Clearances satisfactory.

Yarn:—The market is steady, and there is an absence of enquiry. Clearances are fairly good.

EXPORTS

Some business is reported to have been done in Sesamum Seed and Hides but otherwise there is practically nothing doing.

The market for produce generally is easy.

FRANCE SEEKING WILSON'S ADVICE ON TURK CRISIS

Paris Temps Says That No Definite Decision Can Be Taken Without Him

QUESTION OF MILITARY AID

Our Share In Settlement Is Proportioned To Our Material Co-operation

By EDWIN L. JAMES

Paris, March 1.—With the dispute over Constantinople in full swing in London, French statesmen would like very much to know what America's wishes are with regard to Turkey. They wish to have American agreement to any plan adopted and in seeking now to find out Washington's opinions they hope to avoid repetition of the diplomatically painful Adriatic incident.

In the case of Turkey, as in that of the Adriatic, the situation is darkened by a cloud of secret treaties. As there was in the Treaty of London of 1915 for the division of Adriatic territory, so there is the treaty of 1917 parcelling our Turkish territory. Just as they are disposed to waive the provisions of the Treaty of London to meet America's wishes, the Allies are willing to listen to Washington in the Turkish settlement, despite the mutual promises of three years ago.

The Temps tonight says it is only just that the American Government speak now, and in that the Temps reflects the opinion of the French Foreign Office. The French know what Turkish policy President Wilson favored when he believed that America might take one or more mandates in Turkey. With that outcome appearing now improbable, if not impossible, they wish to know if Mr. Wilson's ideas have changed.

The Temps says in most conciliatory fashion:

"Not only has the President of the United States the right to express himself on the questions of the Orient, but no definite decision can be taken without his being asked to do so. The allied powers have delayed the solution of the Eastern problem because they hoped that the United States would take a lasting and considerable part in the organisation of the East. At the point which matters have now reached it does not suffice to issue decrees. If we wish to effect certain solutions we must have means and material to impose them. To what extent is the United States ready to furnish these means—military, financial or otherwise? That is what it is essential to know.

"Let us add that the French public, so far as it is concerned, will probably support any decision which the United States considers just and necessary, provided that American forces contribute in just proportion to its realisation and maintenance."

The Temps then intimates that it does not think highly of the way things are going in the London conference, which the French believe to be dominated by Lloyd George. It concludes its article thus:

"Let us be permitted to express a conclusion which it is almost superfluous to express, because it is apparent from the irresistible logic of everything that is said today about the Orient. It is high time to end the deliberations in London, and it is not necessary to treat the Eastern question henceforth except by the usual method of diplomatic negotiations. The war is finished. Exceptional procedures have lost their necessity without losing their inconveniences."

Kidnapped Kentucky Child Found In Hotel

Lexington, Ky., March 27.—Paul, the 12 year old son of E. R. Little, who was kidnapped last Wednesday and held for $25,000 ransom, was found in a hotel room from where he telephoned to his home.

He said he had been imprisoned in the bathroom and that his captives threatened him with death.

Arellano Cables His Resignation

Washington, March 27.—Chief Justice Cayetano S. Arellano of the supreme court of the Philippines has cabled his resignation, effective. He will retire on a pension on account of advanced age.

Japanese Schools In California Now

Sacramento, Cal., March 26.—Replies to questionnaires sent by state superintendent of public instruction showed that numerous schools were conducted in the Japanese language, mostly outside of public school hours.

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Business and Official Notices

(Continued from Page 7)

UNION CLUB OF CHINA

The Union Club of China will be without quarters in the near future; the Committee would therefore be pleased to hear from anyone having a suitable place to let that could be used for this purpose.

Any information will be gladly received by the Secretary, Union Club of China, Chartered Bank Buildings, 18, The Bund.

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Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.

Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company Limited will be held at the Office of the General Managers, 6 Kiukiang Road, on Thursday, the 15th day of April, 1920, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when the Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 31st day of March, 1920 will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 10th to the 12th day of April, 1920, both days inclusive, for the purpose of Registering those entitled to the New Ordinary Shares.

Proxies to be valid must be lodged at the Company's Offices not less than 48 hours before the time of holding the Meeting.

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IMPARTIAL & PROGRESSIVE

SHANGHAI, APRIL 15, 1920

WEATHER

Fine weather. North-Easterly breezes in the South. Southerly winds in the North, because of a depression formed on the Sea of Japan.

MARRIAGE

ELLIOTT-STEIFF.—On April 14, 1920, Mr. Stewart Parker Elliott of Shanghai and Miss Florence Catherine Steiff of Baltimore, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Doremus, Route Valon, Rev. Dr. Parker, officiating.

DEATH

EDBLAD. At Bournemouth, England on the 11th April, 1920, Harold Edblad, beloved husband of Emma Theresa Edblad, aged about 60. (By cable). 29006

The Students' Strike

THE strike called by the Chinese National Students' Union Legislative Council against the Peking Government went into effect yesterday. If was fully effective in the Shanghai district and telegrams from other cities indicate that the students elsewhere are acting in conformity with the orders issued by local headquarters.

So far the strike is confined to the students and locally nothing of consequence happened. There was a parade of the strikers at the West Gate recreation grounds where a crowd of some 15,000 spectators gathered to applaud the paraders and exchange comments on the banners that were carried. Other local organisations have not joined in the movement and while they are in sympathy with the students there is no certainty that they will join at the present time.

Meantime the Municipal Council, in pursuance of its policy that Chinese politics shall not be permitted to interfere with the peace and order of the International Settlement, has enacted a new police regulation. This prohibits meetings of a political nature unless permits for same are obtained and these must be applied for 48 hours in advance of the time the meetings are proposed to be held.

The strike itself is timed to last three weeks. It is a protest against direct negotiations with Japan on the Shantung issue and coupled with that is a demand that all secret pacts between China and Japan be made public.

While, as is well known, we are in sympathy with the Student Movement, and see in it, if it is well led, a great hope for China, we do not experience that warm-hearted urge to action which we should feel were the present strike precipitated under other conditions and circumstances. We feel, in other words, that the Peking Government has been enabled to score a point.

The students would be well advised to keep in mind the fact that the Peking Government is composed of a lot of tolerably keen foxes, who know something about the Chinese people and a great deal about Chinese politics. So, when the four day ultimatum arrived, Peking did nothing. Therefore the students acted. They had to. They had said they would. They had left themselves no alternative.

Now they are in a position where Peking can say almost anything to them. They don't know what Peking has done, what it is doing or what it proposes to do. Peking can say to them: "We are not negotiating with Japan." Or it can say, "We have no present intention of negotiating with Japan—and so far as the secret treaties are concerned, they were made for war purposes and have now lapsed."

Meanwhile what appears to be a serious collision between Chinese and Japanese troops has occurred near Harbin, and the only Chinese government capable of dealing with the situation thus created is the one that is located at Peking. What are the students going to do now?

If their intention was to bring about a real, national revolution against the Peking Government, they should have waited until that government had fully committed itself in the Shantung matter. At the moment they appear to have tricked themselves. They have acted hastily on limited information.

We are heartily in favor of the Student Movement, as all the students know, and therefore all the more do we deplore the present precipitate course.

They have gone off at half-cock. They are striking everywhere—against what? If the Peking Government tells them tomorrow that it is conducting no negotiations with Japan over Shantung, and that it is, as a matter of fact on the eve of war wih Japan, where will they be?

What we are afraid of is that the students will, by these half-baked strikes, destroy their movement before it gets fairly started.

Treat 'Em Rough

(New York American)

When Blasco Ibanez declared that the solution of the female problem lies in a reversion to cave-man stuff, and that women would be happier if men hit them on the head more frequently, he piled up so much trouble for himself that it would be cruel to add to his load. If Mrs. Ibanez read what he said, Mr. Ibanez, when he gets back to Spain, will get all that's coming to him, good and plenty.

The Evening Post, however, in taking a slam at Mr. Ibanez, takes the view that his knowledge of the American woman is based upon his study of the American comic supplement. And in this connection it observes:

"He has seen the American press, in the face of paper famine, giving up court reports, abbreviating commercial news, blue-penciling the treaty and the Eighteenth Amendment, dropping the literary supplement, but holding fast to the rolling pin and the astronomy of brain concussion."

This is a veiled compliment to American journalism. The rolling pin refers to Maggie, in the Bringing Up Father pictures, and the astronomy of brain concussion is an attempt to picture the Captain in the Katzenjammer Kids and other famous characters of humorous fiction who see stars when the ceiling falls on their heads.

If Mr. Ibanez has seen the American press give up court reports we envy him. We would like to see it ourselves. The less there appears in print of that seamy side of human relations which constitute the bulk of court reports the better off the reading public would be.

In the face of a paper famine, it is difficult to justify the printing of detailed commercial news. When butter gets to 81 cents a pound and milk to 18 cents a quart the housewife does not require a newspaper to give her the bad news. The grocer does it. If oil stocks slump below par, nobody but Wall Street gamblers and their dupes are interested.

The editor who would print the 900,000,000 words that have been uttered in the United States Senate on the Peace Treaty without the aid of 100,000,000 blue pencils ought to be put into a straitjacket.

The less that is printed about the Eighteenth Amendment the better. Those who are in favor of it are glad to get away with it in silence. Those who are opposed to it are too miserable to talk about it. And, really, there's nothing to talk about. It's done. If there are some who want it undone, let them undo it. But, in the face of a paper famine, what is there to devote space to?

As for dropping the literary supplement—well, even the most backward newspaper has got to make some progress—some time. To any student of literature who has before him, in his mind's eye, the glorious panorama of the literary output of ancient Greece and Rome, the philosophy of the Middle Ages and the poetry and fiction of seventeenth and eighteenth century England and France, the wasting of four, six or eight pages of white paper on a literary supplement in these days is a ghastly joke.

But in holding fast to the humorous supplement the American press—at least that portion of the American press which is fortunate enough to possess a good humorous supplement—is giving to millions of troubled souls, weary after the war, tired of the heavy hand of profiteering oppression and thoroughly sick of the high cost of staying alive, a quantity of cheer and amusement and laughter and enlivening interest which is worth vastly more than all the commercial news and the Peace Treaty gas and the interchange of letters between the President and the Premiers of Europe, put together.

If Mr. Ibanez got his idea that women like to be hit on the head from American newspapers, we doubt if he got it from the comic supplements. More likely he read an announcement that string beans had gone to 22 cents a quart and realised that women were still buying them.

China's Part In The Paris Conference: Part I.

First Story Of The Young Republic's Battle With The Big Five For Proper Recognition Of Its Rightful Claims

By M. T. Z. TYAU, LL.D.

AS far as can be ascertained, the story of China's part in the Paris Conference has never been adequately told. This not because of the lack of interest on the part of the public, nor is it because of the lack of writers to tell the tale. It is rather owing to the paucity of information available on the subject.

True it is that China today is better known to the Western public and the sacred province of Shantung has become the most talked-of place in the world. Thanks entirely to the Big Five's award regarding the Republic's Alsace-Lorraine, and thanks especially to the fact that up to date this country has resolutely declined to sign the German Peace Treaty containing the outrageous Shantung clauses, China is the recipient of much sympathy. With her usual extravagance in making promises, Japan has been lavishing fortunes in propaganda work calculated to create an atmosphere favorable to her pretensions; but all this good work has come to naught and she stands today arraigned before the bar of public opinion. Diplomatically the Island Empire is the victor, but morally the Far Eastern Republic is the universally acclaimed conquering hero.

All this notwithstanding, the story of China's part in the Peace Congress remains yet to be told. The change of status involved for this nation of four hundred millions since the fateful days of August, 1914, has already been fraught with far-reaching consequences, and we owe it to those coming after us to tell them the truth, the whole truth.

Such a task is now made possible by the publication of two historic documents in Chinese, setting forth the very information which has been awaited impatiently by the public, especially the four hundred millions immediately concerned. The one is an excerpt from the official minutes of the Chinese delegates in Paris deliberating together; the other is an official summary of the work accomplished or attempted by these officially accredited spokesmen of China's rising democracy. Altogether the two amount to nearly 140 Chinese pages or 280 English pages; here, however, we can only give the briefest summary.

To begin with, it will be remembered that before this Republic formally on August 14, 1917, declared war against the Central Powers, it had twice or thrice been dissuaded from so doing by some of the Allies. And in view of the present deadlock over the Tsingtau retrocession question it should be mentioned that it was an open secret that, had China not been dissuaded, she would have entered the war as early as the second week in August, 1914. The astute President Yuan Shih-k'ai had one hundred thousand picked Chinese troops ready to back up the Chinese Government's negotiations with Germany for the immediate return of the leased territory, the alternative being a march on Tsingtau to compel respect; but the swiftness of the German descent on Belgium and France as well as the unpreparedness of the Allies was impressed on Yuan, and he was persuaded not to plunge the country into Europe's unhappy fate. China had the chance of her lifetime, but Destiny willed that it should be lost. For had the gods been more placable, Japan would never have been in Tsingtau and the Republic's history for the last six years would have to be entirely rewritten. Indeed, of all sad words of tongue or pen the saddest are these: "It might have been."

On November 11, 1918, the armistice between Germany and the Allies as well as Associated Powers was signed and then the various belligerents began to prepare for the Peace Conference at Paris. China duly appointed its delegates and these arrived in France about the middle of January, 1919. Headed by Mr. Lu Tseng-hsiang, Minister of Foreign Affairs, this country's peace delegation as communicated to the Peace Conference numbered altogether 52 men. Associated with Minister Lu were also Dr. C. T. Wang, the Southern leader; Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo, Minister to Washington; Dr. Sao-ke Alfred Sze, Minister to London; and Mr. Wei Ch'eng-tzu, Minister to Brussels. In addition there were 17 technical advisers recruited from the Ministries of Foreign Affairs, of War, of Justice, of Communications, of Agriculture and Commerce; five foreign advisers including Dr. G. E. Morrison and Monsieur G. Padoux, authority on extra-territoriality; and a secretariat of 35.

Such persons as Liang Ch'i-ch'ao the scholar, Yeh Kung-cho, now Special High Industrial Commissioner, and Thomas F. Millard were last year variously reported as being also attached to the same delegation, but they do not appear on the official list.

We are by no means superstitious, but it is a curious coincidence that unpropitious omens seem to have been associated with China's delegation from the very start. When Minister Lu's party got to Japan, en route for Europe, there were insistent rumors that one box full of important documents had been either lost or stolen. Then when the delegates assembled in Paris they were at once informed that like Belgium, Servia, Rumania, Greece, Brazil, Portugal, Poland and Czecho-Slovakia, the Republic could only be represented by two delegates at the plenary meetings of the Conference, the Big Five alone being entitled to send five members. Minister Lu requested the good offices of the French Foreign Minister and the latter consented to help. He moved that China might be given three seats at the Conference, but the proposal was turned down by the assembly.

About this time last year it was reported that malign influences were at work among the Chinese delegates which could only serve to damage this country's interests. According to the official minutes of these delegates' deliberations, specific pro-Japanese charges against one technical expert who had studied in Japan and who went to Paris together with Mr. Liang Ch'i-ch'ao's party, were made by a number of Chinese students in Great Britain and France. The person accused stoutly denied the charges before the delegation and there the incident terminated.

Incidentally it transpired that during Minister Lu's brief sojourn in Tokio he never engaged to bind himself or his colleagues at the Paris Conference to play second fiddle to the Japanese delegates. When Minister Lu called on the Japanese Foreign Minister, Viscount Uchida, there was the usual exchange of courtesies through the medium of interpreters. Casually the latter remarked that as regards the Tsingtao question the Japanese Government would, in consonance with its previous attitude, act according to the Sino-Japanese conventions of 1915.

"And what did Minister Lu reply?" the expert who was present at the Tokio interview, was asked.

"As far as I can remember, there was nothing in the reply which could be construed as limiting Minister Lu's line of action in any way."

"We understand that the conversation was both recorded and signed—is it true?"

"No, there was no record whatsoever, nor is there such a procedure in informal diplomatic conversations."

The above testimony is important because a month or so earlier the Japanese delegation referred point blank to such a promise between Minister Lu and Viscount Uchida.

Towards the end of January there occurred the first clash between Chinese and Japanese delegates at the Conference, when Dr. Koo made his admirable speech in support of China's unimpeachable claims to the direct and immediate retrocession of Tsingtao. Baron Makino replied, mentioning that the same had already been settled by formal agreements between Tokio and Peking, meaning thereby the conventions of 1915 and 1918, etc.

Thereupon President Wilson requested that the Conference be furnished with all the documents in question. Dr. Koo assented, but Baron Makino preferred to consult telegraphically with his government.

A few days later there developed in Peking the famous threat by Mr. Obata, Japanese Minister. In effect the Chinese Government was told to warn its delegates in Paris not to embarrass any further the position of their Japanese colleagues but the two delegations were to act together in close harmony. And to drive home the hint, one of the secretaries of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs was told that about a million Japanese soldiers were then lying idle. As is already well-known, the incident created a profound impression on the whole nation and indirectly supplied the light that kindled the fuse of the present Student Movement. The threat miscarried and it returned, like the boomerang, to smite its sender.

As a matter of expediency, however, it was arranged in Paris between the two delegations that each might be informed of the kind of documents the other intended to forward to the Peace Conference. Thereupon the Japanese first showed the Chinese delegates the documents they proposed to send, and a few days later one of the Chinese technical experts was sent to return the same courtesy to the Japanese delegation. In the absence of Baron Makino, he was received by Mr. Ijuin, Japanese Minister to Rome, who objected to the declaration that such information was purely a matter of courtesy.

"On the contrary," remarked Mr. Ijuin, "this is in consonance with the understanding between our two governments that in the matter of communication of secret documents to the Conference there should be mutual consultation beforehand. Such understanding is mutually restrictive and is not binding only on your government. Do you know it?"

"What you have said is perfectly clear. But I do not understand what you mean by 'mutual consultation' and 'mutual restriction.'"

"Minister Lu must surely know it. Will you please report the matter to him?"

"Yes, I shall."

A few hours later one of Baron Makino's secretaries called on the above Chinese expert to explain what Mr. Ijuin meant by objecting to the use of the word "courtesy." He said:

"According to Mr. Ijuin, when two countries concluded a secret treaty, if one party wishes to publish it, the consent of the other party must first be obtained. This is quite in conformity with reason and is at least morally correct."

"I am glad to have the opportunity also to refer to this subject," was the reply. "When I returned and reported the conversation to Minister Lu, he was astonished at Mr. Ijuin's reference to 'mutual consultation' and 'mutual restriction.' According to Minister Lu it was quite possible that when he passed through your country, called on your Foreign Minister, and the conversation touched upon the Paris Conference, he might have agreed that in matters of mutual interest there should be co-operation between the two governments. But he never had in mind what Mr. Ijuin referred to as mutual consultation and mutual restriction. As regards your reference to secret documents, it is already agreed between Baron Makino and our delegation before the Big Four that all documents, secret or otherwise, should be communicated to the Conference."

"Mr. Ijuin's meaning I have just explained, but it need not be looked upon as an extraordinarily important affair (!) Can I see Minister Koo?"

Dr. Koo happened to be in and so received the Japanese secretary. Said the latter:

"In view of the number of mutual interests common to both China and Japan via-a-vis Europe and America, I feel that it is unfortunate that our two delegations should not know each other. I hope that in future we can get to know each other more intimately."

"I am always happy to meet your delegation. Unfortunately I have lately been rather occupied with various meetings and so could not find the necessary time."

"I understand, and unhappily Baron Makino is also similarly situated. In connection with the statement you recently made before the Conference regarding the Shantung question, if you could before making it have talked it over with Baron Makino, would it not have been fine?"

"When Baron Makino was about to discuss the Shantung question with the Conference, we were entirely ignorant. It was only an hour before the meeting began, when we were asked over the telephone to attend, that we knew that Baron Makino had brought forward this question. We were taken completely by surprise. So when I was instructed to address the meeting, I was unprepared and only spoke what I knew. You referred a moment ago to talking it over with Baron Makino. Under the circumstances, how could I consult with the Baron?"

"Do you mean to say then that the blame should rather be on Baron Makino?"

"Oh no, that's not what I mean. Please do not misunderstand."

"At any rate, it would be best if we can get together more and so know each other better."

"I agree heartily, with you."

Here we have a glimpse of the two outstanding delegates from the Far East. Dr. Koo the splendid fighter and debater, who deserves richly of his country; and Baron Makino, the astute diplomatist who even outwitted European experts of his caliber. The one pleaded most eloquently for China's sacred province and was congratulated by the Allied delegates for his powerful speech: the other most adroitly stood pat on the racial equality question with a semblance of injured pride and then successfully clinched the Shantung argument by his threat to bolt from the Conference.

(To Be Continued Tomorrow)

Correspondence

CHIVALRY VS. BEAUTY

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Mr. Editor: A member of the S.M.P., I was interested in the "essay" of "Only a Girl," published today in your paper.

From the time of Peel until ousted by German Wilhelm's notoriety, the "vulgar policeman" topic was the last resort of exhausted humor and sarcasm. These ideas of the fair, or rather, unfair lady, are not original!

Why revive them?

Why, also, if our conduct is so terribly autocratic should the matter be treated thus flippantly?

"Only a Girl" (presumably one of tender years) you should not pick up brushes or typewriters! Powder puffs are lighter—and nicer.

MITRAILLEUSE.

Shanghai, April 14, 1920.

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Mr. Editor: I read with great interest your letter in today's issue from "Only a Girl" and I am greatly surprised to realise that we are noticed by the public here. Hitherto we had imagined ourselves to be merely a part of the general landscape, such as pillar boxes and electric light standards.

Should "Only a Girl" care to come forward and reveal herself, I could give her a few interesting particulars as to how the large feet and big chests were obtained, and also remind her that the men, and they are men, who push our Celestial friends off the pavement are the same men who from 1914 to 1918 pushed back the "Feldgrauen." Was it an accident, or did our fair friend intentionally omit to note in her description of the Shanghai Foreign Police Officers that on those chests, expanded almost to the point of bursting a button, are vari-colored pieces of ribbon?

I do not wish to take up too much of your space, Mr. Editor, so in conclusion, may I remark that, should "Only a Girl" reveal herself by means of a placard or the flag of her nationality, which is, I presume, not British, the Shanghai Foreign Police would be only too delighted to afford her every facility in her passage down the Nanking Road. I should also like to draw her attention to pages 2 and 4, columns 2 and 1, respectively, of today's issue of THE CHINA PRESS.

ONE OF HER HEROES.

Shanghai, April 14, 1920.

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir: Not being a girl I've probably overlooked a lot of the finer points that were observed by "Only a Girl" when she was regarding the indiscreet action of a young man in the foreign contingent of the local police force in brushing aside three Chinese who obstructed the sidewalk on Nanking Road, as recounted in your issue of this morning. But I have noticed that for the most part the men on the force, foreigners and Chinese alike, are good specimens of upstanding manhood who are most of the time on the job and who maintain a degree of order in a heterogeneous community that is nearly incredible.

It is expected that there are to be "griffins" among them: young men who haven't been able to sort out the complexities of the Far East; but taken as a whole it is my opinion that the Shanghai police force is one of which any city might be proud.

The inconsequential meanderings of some Chinese pedestrians are bound to bring grief to the soul of anyone unaccustomed to their customs and habits and it is not surprising that mistakes are made. These are to be regretted and doubtless will be by any European who is hasty in the heat of his first irritation at what must necessarily appear to him as collossal stupidity, after he has become acclimated and grown even slightly accustomed to the differences between the East and the West.

I hold no brief for the hasty young man who may have presumed on the significance of his uniform other than to say that it is quite certain that if he is the right sort he will soon fall in line with the policy of his fellow officers who are spending a great deal of their time in herding dreamy "jay-walkers" into the sidewalks, saving them from sudden death under the wheels of the world's most congested traffic, instead of heading them into the maelstrom of motors, trams, ricshas and ponies that threaten life and limb on almost any Shanghai street from early morning until late at night.

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Shanghai, April 14, 1920.

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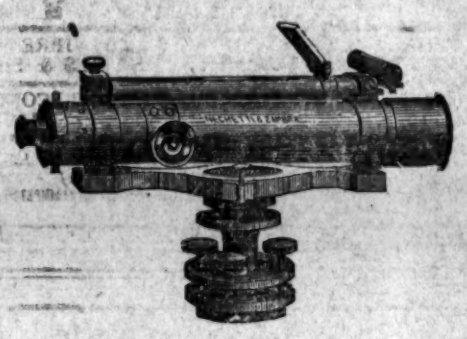

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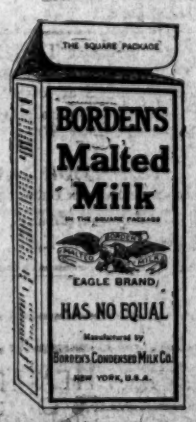

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AGENTS

London Goes Jazz Mad As Gay Life Is Resumed

With The End Of The War Night Life Returns And Lights In Piccadilly Circus Flash On And Off 'Just Like Those On Broadway'

(*New York Tribune*)

London, Feb. 10.—"Making a night of it" became almost a lost art in England during the late war. The owl and the Briton were scarcely on speaking terms.

In the first place, it wasn't patriotic to "stay out at night." Then there was the absence of lights, the shortage of taxis, the ban on dancing and—the Gothas. So nights were spent in bed, and the only time a Londoner saw the sun rise was when he got up early to work in his allotment.

London, once the gayest of cities, became a silent tomb of somber grays and deep shadows after 9 o'clock at night. I can remember when it was actually a penal offense to strike a match in the street. But those who only saw it in war time wouldn't know the old place now!

The grays are purples now and the lights are bright and red, and in Piccadilly Circus they have four electric signs that flash on and off "just like those on Broadway."

London has acquired the night club fever. From 11 p.m. to 3 a.m. has become the recognised space of time for worshipping at the shrine of Terpsichore.

HOW THE NIGHT IS SPENT

"Are you dancing tonight?" no longer means are you going to spend the hours between dinner time and midnight at ball or club. It means are you going to Rector's, to the Grafton Galleries or to Brett's, picking up your party somewhere about midnight and never thinking of going home until the milkman's horse has got his second wind and the pink flush of a London dawn colors the cold night mists. Then, and not till then, does one turn homeward in a private car, if one has one, or a taxi, if one can get one, with perhaps a brief halt at the nearest coffee stall for a cup of muddy fluid which tastes like nectar at that hour, but which, taken six hours later, would spoil one's whole day. But such is night life in a big city!

The night clubs of London are a peace product. They range from the ultra exclusive ones of Bond Street to the frankly democratic and even mere so ones of Leicester Square and Charing Cross Road—clubs to suit the taste and deplete the pocketbook of every one. New Yorkers cannot say:

"It's all right for them over in London. They haven't got prohibition."

CLOSING HOURS 10 O'CLOCK

For London has its closing hour, and that is 10 o'clock. At none of the clubs or dance halls is any form of intoxicating liquor sold openly. Ostensibly one does it on pink lemonade and cider cup—unless one has a large hip pocket, or knows the proprietor.

Every place in London which dispenses jazz music and French pastry during the wee sma' hours is a "club." In most of them membership consists merely of filling in a form at the door. Many, however, are sure enough clubs, where only members and their guests may dance. Of the former class, Rector's, on Tottenham Court Road, is unquestionably the most popular. Needless to say, it has an American orchestra; all the dance clubs have bands that are either American or good imitations of American musicians.

And while the dance music that they play sometimes harks back to the Dark Ages, contemporaneous with "Waiting for the Robert E. Lee" and "Mobile Bay," much of it is up to date. Rector's draws the theatrical crowd, folks from behind the footlights as well as those who have been to a "show" and are out to make a night of it. It charges $5 a ticket, or $7.50 for a couple, which includes a light, very light, "buffet supper," so called of courtesy, and consisting largely of watercress sandwiches and hot and cold coffee. Saturday nights it is crowded almost to suffocation. It is making about $2,500 a week for its owners.

LONDON IS JAZZ MAD

Like most of the clubs, Rector's is underground; a spacious, hardwood floor surrounded by mirrors which reflect the dancers and the sparkle of its gaily colored lights. In the warm months it has its pillars banked with huge cakes of ice, with electric fans cunningly arranged to waft cool breezes over the floor. Two orchestras play alternately and constantly. London is jazz mad; they are learning to dance over here, and when an Englishman dances he likes to get plenty of exercise. Woe to the slow or tender of foot when the band strikes up a fast one-step.

Many of the really charming little clubs have no license to keep open after midnight. It is uncertain just what the law is, but you have to pay money to somebody to keep from closing at a respectable hour. Some of the less exclusive ones try it periodically and the police wagon usually drives up about 2:30 a.m. and the proprietor gets a free ride.

'PAID ESCORTS' DANGEROUS

The shortage of eligible young men has, of course, put a severe crimp in the dancing aspirations of many English girls. This has led to the "paid escort," usually an amiable youth with enchanted feet and suave ballroom manners and a rented dress suit, who, whatever his social qualifications, certainly presents a most respectable figure on the dance floor. Many young men of the East End have "come West" to make a living at this new game; usually they are, merely reprehensible, sometimes quite dishonest. Blackmail and thievery are two of their pet vices; many a London society girl has regretted her insistence on appearing at a certain dance, hired partner notwithstanding. A lot more of this sort of thing goes on than is apparent on the surface.

Another way to evade the man shortage and the lonely evening at home is to join one or more of the fashionable clubs, which, of course, entitles her to "get up parties" for them, and thus the young men are snagged will-nilly.

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Many mothers are mistreating their fourteen-year-old high school girls through neglect and over indulgence. I will trace an instance of the kind so that the fond parent may discern precisely what is the matter.

Susan is the girl's name. She is called thirty minutes too late every morning to give her a fair chance to make good. Hurrying and complaining, she rushes from her bed, works out her "make-up" for the day before the mirror, scatters her own things and many not her own about the house, giving the appearance of a burglary. She then rushes down to a nice breakfast which Mama has prepared while she slept, sits on the edge of a chair, swallows a few bites and hurries off to school, with an "Oh, Gee" as her farewell.

At noon Susan rushes in again with barely time to snatch a few bites of Mother's cooking, and is then gone for another three hours. At 4:30 p.m. she saunters in, eats a lunch in the pantry, rests for a half hour and is very busy with her lessons while Mother gets dinner. That meal finished, our busy girl actually gets the dishes off and otherwise makes a feint of helping. Then comes a rush at the lessons for an hour, followed by a quiet disappearance for two hours or more out "somewhere in the city."

So the grind goes on for the week with more of a different kind for Saturday. And a beautiful girl's character is being spoiled through the loss of a valuable thirty-minute period at morning. And here is the remedy.

Call your girl by the clock at seven a.m., instead of seven-thirty. Give her the usual time for dressing but also give her thirty minutes of home helping and home discipline. Make her your assistant and companion in getting the breakfast work done. Have her sit and eat her morning meal quietly and leave for her class still poised and buoyant.

Thus you may through the wise use of a half hour daily, change the entire character and career of Susan. Strange to say the girl who "just can't bear the thought of house work" is the one who has not been taught to do it. She dreads something which exists only in her mind, namely, the kitchen.

She will go on to school, oh, yes. Anything but the life of a home keeper. She will take up dramatics, fine art, movie acting, or something else "brilliant" and let home making fall to the lot of those who like it.

But a stranger thing may happen here. Get Susan out for the extra half hour as suggested. Hold her to this reasonable program and you will have practically a new girl—poised, self-reliant, self-respecting, fond of her mother's company, fond of simple household duties, a new interpretation of her lessons, a tendency to measure young men not merely as spenders but as providers, a loss of the keen desire to go on the stage and find a "brilliant career," a desire to become a real woman and not a cheap flirt.

Try it, Mother. Thirty minutes per day as outlined. It is a wonderful medicine to cure the sick soul of your hurrying-flurrying, fourteen-year-old girl.

The Rhyming Optimist

BY ALINE MICHAELIS

There is one rule I strive to keep; by day or night, awake asleep; I still insist whatever is, is right. I stick to this through thick and thin, it lends my face this cheerful grin, it steers me through some places that are tight. I rise with joy to greet the sun, and when my daily work is done, with added joy I climb into the hay. For where I live it's Easy Street; the sun shines always on my beat, and things are ever looking up my way. I claim the fates who passed the buck gave me an extra quart of luck when they convinced me that what is, is best. Just try it out and you will see it works for you as well as me, if you will only put it to the test. You may have lost a game of rook; you may have had to fire the cook—and yet, if you will sing my chosen song, you soon will see a bit of light shining upon your doleful plight; you'll know that naught that is, is ever wrong. And far more often than men think the thing that puts 'em on the blink is not the pile of ashes on their slide; but altogether how they greet the grimy specter of defeat, their gloom when forfeiting the longed for ride. I never raise the voice and wail because some cherished plan may fail, for cherished plans too often end in fizz; but you will find me on the spot whether my ship comes home or not, I'm busy tooting for whatever it.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1920

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY							
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Amoy and Hongkong	Sunning	..	8.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Dairy	Kobe Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.50
Canton	Kungping	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, N. Russia & Europe via Suez	Dilwara	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits Ceylon, India & Europe via Suez	do	..	16.00	..	..	..	15.30
Manila Direct	Suwa Maru	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Manila and Hongkong	Suwa Maru	..	15.30	..	..	..	..
Chefoo & Weihaiwei via Chefoo	Esang	..	8.00	..	..	..	..
V'stok and Siberia via Pukow & Harbin (Daily expect Sunday)	Train			..	17.00	..	17.00
Ningpo	Kiangteen	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW							
N'saki, Kobe, Yokohama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via Canada	Katori Maru	..	15.30	..	..	..	15.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan, Canada, U. S. A., Europe and N. Russia	Katori Maru	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Japan Ports	Chikugo M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.50
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..				17.00
Saturday, April 17.							
Swatow and Hongkong	Tean	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Shuntien	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	Shuntien	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Swatow, H'kong & C'ton	Tean	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
United Kingdom, via Hongkong	Rhesus	..	15.30	..	..	..	..
Japan Ports	Chikugo M.	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. Europe & N. Russia	Methven	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
U. S. A., Canada, Europe & N. Russia	M. Dollar	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Monday, April 19.							
Hongkong and Canton	Shantung	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	Shantung	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Swatow, H'kong & C'ton	Kwongsang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Swatow & Hongkong	Kwongsang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Tuesday, April 20.							
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Fengtien	14.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	do	..	14.00	..	..	..	..

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. **Kiangwah**, Captain J McArthur, will leave on Thursday night. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Luenho**, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodgett, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, April 15, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Telephone C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Department. After Office Hours C. 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Tatung**, Captain C. C. Williams, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, April 16, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Suiwo**, 2,671 Tons, Captain Smith, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, April 16, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Telephone C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Department. Outside Office Hours C. 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. **Yohyang Maru**, Captain Y. Ikeda, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on Friday, April 16, at aout 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No 16, Canton Road.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. **Tachang Maru**, Captain G. Kawamura, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung Wharf on Saturday, April 17, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to **THE NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.** No. 16, Canton Road

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Wuchang**, Captain Pickard, will leave on Saturday, April 17, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Waishing** 1,864 Tons, Captain Christie, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Saturday, April 17, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Department. Outside Office Hours Central 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Poyang**, Captain Carnaghan, will leave from the French Bund on Monday, April 19, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

YUKOW.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Ichang**, Captain J. S. De Wolf, will leave on Monday, April 19, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Lungyi**, Captain Frazier, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, April 20, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agent French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Tuckwo**, 3,470 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, April 20, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Tel. C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passage Department. After Office Hours Central 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Woosung**, Captain Meathrel, will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, April 21, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Ngankin**, Captain J. Cudney, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, April 22, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The Str. **Kiangteen**, Captain D. D. Ross, will leave on Thursday at 3:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The Str. **Hsintah**, Capt. J. Glen, will leave on Thursday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hsin Peking**, Captain A. E. Edward, will leave on Friday, April 16, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SIWRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

CANTON.—The Str. **Kungping**, Capt. Shipped, will leave on Friday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Tean**, Captain Wm. McDonald, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 17, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

AMOY, HONGOKNG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Sunning**, Capt. W. Benson, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Thursday, April 19, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Freight. Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Shantung**, Captain Monkman, will leave from the French Bund direct for thb above ports on Tuesday, April 20, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Sinkiang**, Captain W. J. Barkus, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Thrusday, April 22, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TAKAO (FORMOSA) Via FOOCHOW & KEELUNG.—The Str. **Suma Maru**, Captain Y. Fukami, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on April 27. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA** No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

TAKAO (FORMOSA) Via FOOCHOW & KEELUNG.—The Str. **Kohoku Maru**, Captain M. Tsubaki, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on April 29. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

For Northern Ports

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Fengtien**, Captain H. A. Walker, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 17, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. French Bund. Freight Telephone No, 77 Passage Telephone No. 401.

CHINWANGTAO Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the S.S. **Upolu** on April 17. For Freight apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 1114.

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Yingchow**, Captain A. V. Harrison, will leave from the Watung Wharf on Saturday, April 17, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Fengtien**, Captain McIntoch, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, April 20, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chekiang**, Captain E. L. Jones, will elave on Thursday, April 22, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

TIENTSIN & DAIREN via TSINGTAU.—The Str. **Keelung Maru**, Capt. Y. Fukami, will be despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on April 28. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Cen. 4234 & 4235.

For Foreign Ports

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EUROPE via Hongkong, Singapore, Colombo, Portsald, Marseilles, London, Antwerp, Rotterdam & Hamburg.—The Steamer **Havana Maru**, Capt. S. Imai, will be despatched from the Co.'s No. 9 Buoy on May 1. For Freight please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 & 4235.

NEW YORK, JAPAN PORTS SAN FRANCISCO PANAMA and NEW YORK.—The Str. **Alaska Maru**, Captain W. Miura, will be despatched from Shanghai on or about May 31, at ———. For Freight please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Telphone Central No. 4234 & 4235.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Apr. 15	—	New York	Luceric	Br.	Dod. & Co.
Apr. 16	—	Portland	Pawlett	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 17	—	Vancouver	Methven	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 17	—	Seattle, etc.	Katori Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 18	—	Vancouver	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 20	—	New York	Genoa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr. 20	—	New York, Boston	Dryden	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 20	—	Seattle	West Ivan	Am.	A. T. Co.
Apr. 20	—	Baltimore v. M'nean	West Kasson	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Apr. 23	—	San Francisco	West Niger	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 24	—	New York	C. of Colombo	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 26	—	Vancouver	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 27	—	San Francisco	Higho	Am.	Dollar Co.
May 3	—	New York, Boston	Radnor	Am.	Adl. Line
May 3	—	New York	Tsuyama M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 3	—	San Francisco	West Elcajon	Am.	Adl. Line
May 4	—	San Francisco	West Inskip	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
May 4	—	New Orleans	West Hembrie	Am.	S. & Dix
May 4	—	Baltimore v. Panama	West Moreland	Am.	S. & Dix
May 5	—	Los Angeles	West Hemrod	Am.	L.A.P.N. Co.
May 6	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
May 6	—	Seattle, etc.	Suwa Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 7	—	New York	Tuscan Prince	Br.	S. Tomes & Co.
May 8	—	Portland	Coaxet	Am.	Adl. Line
May 10	—	San Francisco	West Cadron	Am.	Dollar Co.
May 10	—	Seattle	C. of Spokane	Am.	Adl. Line
May 11	—	San Francisco	Elkhorn	Am.	S. & Dix
May 15	—	Seattle	Brave Couer	Am.	S. & Dix
May 18	—	San Francisco	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 19	—	Seattle	West Jester	Am.	A. T. Co.
May 19	—	Baltimore	Eurana	Am.	S. & Dix.
May 21	—	New York	Eurymachus	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	—	San Francisco	China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 22	—	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. C
May 22	—	Seattle	Edmore	Am.	Adl. Line
May 23	—	San Francisco	West Hepburn	Am.	Dollar Co.
May 25	—	San Francisco	West Cahokia	Am.	S. & Dix
May 25	—	San Francisco	West Himrod	Am.	S. & Dix
May 29	—	Vancouver	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 30	—	Seattle	West Ivis	Am.	S. & Dix
May 30	—	Baltimore v. M'nean	West Boro	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 30	—	N. Y. v. Vancouver	M. S. Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co
May 30	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 31	—	New York	Howick Hall	Br.	B. & S.
June 4	—	New Orleans	Editor	Am.	S. & Dix
June 5	—	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 5	—	San Francisco	Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co
June 10	—	Vancouver	Montcalm	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 15	—	Seattle	Stanley	Am.	A. T. Co.
June 17	—	Vancouver, N. Y.	Beagle Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 19	—	San Francisco	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 20	—	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
July 12	—	Seattle	Maquan	Am.	A. T. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Apr.	17	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr.	19	—	Kobe	Sado Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr.	20	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr.	21	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr.	24	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr.	27	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr.	27	—	Kobe	Muttra	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr	28	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr.	30	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kokura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Apr.	16	—	Bombay	Dilwara	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Apr.	18	—	A'dam, L'don, A'erp	Rhesus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	21	—	London	Professor	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Apr.	21	—	London	Yokohama M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr.	22	—	Genoa, M'lles, L'pool	Ajax	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	22	—	A'dam, L'don, A'erp	Mentor	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	23	4.00	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Apr.	23	—	Trieste	Innsbruck	Ital.	Dod. & Co.
Apr.	25	—	London	C. of Norwith	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	25	—	London	Gleniffer	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Apr.	26	—	London	Tamba Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr.	27	—	Calcutta	Muttra	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Apr.	30	—	Liverpool	Wakasa M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May	1	—	Marseilles	Armand Behic	Fr.	M. M. Cie
May	5	—	London	Kazembe	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May	6	—	Liverpool	Keemun	Br.	B. & S.
May	6	—	A'dam, L'don, H'burg	Stentor	Br.	B. & S.
May	6	—	London	Nore	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May	13	—	Liverpool	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
May	15	—	R'dam, Hamburg	Tjitaroem	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
May	15	—	Java	Tjiliwong	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
May	18	—	London	Novara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May	20	—	A'dam, L'don, A'erp	Telemachus	Br.	B. & S.
May	20	—	Scandinavia	Siam	Dan.	E.A. Co.
May	20	—	Liverpool	Priam	Br.	B. & S.
May	22	—	London	Glenade	Br.	G. L. E. A.
May	27	—	L'don, A'dam, A'werp	Telrestas	Br.	B. & S.
June	3	—	L'don, A'dam, H'burg	Neleus	Br.	B. & S.
June	1	—	Marseilles	Cardillere	Fr.	M. M. Cie
June	6	—	Scandinavia	Asia	Dan.	E. A. Co.
June	17	—	L'don, A'ham, A'werp	Deucalion	Br.	B. & S.
June	24	—	Genoa, M'lles, L'pool	Talthybius	Br.	B. & S.
June	30	—	Marseilles	Porthos	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July	1	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Helenus	Br.	B. & S.
July	11	—	Marseilles	Amazone	Fr.	M. M. Cie

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Apr.	15	9.00	*Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	15	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Apr.	15	—	Hongkong, Canton	Hsintah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Apr.	16	—	Manila, Hongkong	Suwa Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K
Apr.	16	—	Canton	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Apr.	16	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	16	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr.	17	10.00	*S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	20	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	22	D.L.	Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	26	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May	1	—	Manila, Hongkong	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
May	5	—	Hongkong	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Apr.	15	9.00	*C'foo, D'ren, N'chwang	Esang	Br.	J. M. & Co
Apr.	16	8.30	*Tsingtau, Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
Apr.	17	10.00	*Tsingtau	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	17	10.00	*W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	17	—	Chinwangtao	Upolu	Br.	K.M.A.
Apr.	20	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	20	noon	Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
Apr.	22	10.00	*W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	23	—	T'tsin, D'ren, T'tau	Keelung Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Apr.	15	D.L.	Wuhu	Loksang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr.	15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Nanyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
Apr.	15	D.L.	Hankow	Kashing	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Apr.	17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Apr.	17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr.	18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Apr.	19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr.	19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S
Apr.	19	D.L.	Pukow	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang M.	Jap.	N. K. K.
Apr.	20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Apr.	21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Apr.	21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
Apr.	22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Apr.	22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
Apr.	22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.

*A.M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT. D. L.—DAYLIGHT

MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
P. & O. B.I.	Mar. 28	Alacrity	Br. gun-boat
KND	Apr. 1	Fushimi	Jap. gun-boat
1 C.	Apr. 10	Hawkins	Br. cruiser
1 C.	Apr. 7	Hertog Hendrick	Dut. cruiser
B.N.B.	Mar. 26	Kinsha	Br. gun-boat
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 227	Ital. sub-chaser
BXIII	Apr. 1	Monocacy	Am. gun-boat
MMB	Apr. 7	Scarab	Br. gunboat
1 C.	Apr. 7	Tromp	Dut. cruiser

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MANILA MARU	20,000	H. Yamaguchi,	April 27	April 28

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KEELUNG MARU ...	3,000	Y. Fukami,	April 21	April 23

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TSUYAMA MARU ...	15,000	Capt. O. Sakamoto,	May 3

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KASUGA MARU ...	7,000	Capt. K. Inatsu,	April 20
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KOKURA MARU ..	4,500	Capt. S. Ito,	April 30

FOR JAPAN

SADO MARU	12,500	Capt. N. Tanaka,	April 19

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YAWATA MARU	7,000	Capt. G. Shinomiya,	April 24
OMI MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Kishimoto,	April 28

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West Ivis†	Apr. —	West Himrod*	May 25
West Himrod*	Apr. 25	West Cahokia*	May 25
West Cahokia*	Apr. 30	West Ivis†	May 30

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Eurana*	May 15	Eurana*	„ 19
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Date	From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Dec. 2 —	Japan	Taiho Maru	Jap.	
Dec. 2 —		Meichuen	Am.	Socony
Dec. 4 —	River ports	Lingyun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec. 6 —	Chinwangtao	Indigirka		
Dec. 16 —	Hankow	Meitan	Am.	Socony.
Dec. 25 —		Kanling	Chi.	
Dec. 25 —		Newchow		
Jan. 15 —		Meihu	Am.	Socony.
Jan. 21 —	Japan	Kifune Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Feb. 6 —	Cruise	Store Nordlake	Dan.	G.N.T. Co.
Feb. 15 —	River ports	Tahchuen	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Mar. 3 —		Hwahjah	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 6 —	Wuhu	Simferopol	Br.	
Mar. 15 —	Japan	Shinsei Maru	Jap.	
Mar. 19 —	Japan	Kiyo Maru	Jap.	Kaiyosha
Mar. 22 —		Chienan	Chi.	W. & Co.
Mar. 22 —	Swatow	Cusco	Ital.	S. & Di.
Mar. 24 —		Astrakan	Br.	A.P. Co.
Mar. 26 —	Japan	Tungus	Rus.	S. H. & Co.
Apr. 1 —	Tsingtau	Shinfoo	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 6 —	Cruise	Fengching	Chi.	Customs
Apr. 8 —	Bombay	Dilwara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 9 —	River ports	Fengyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
Apr. 10 —	Cruise	Lukin	Chi.	Customs
Apr. 10 —	River ports	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
Apr. 11 —	Hongkong	Haintah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 11 —	Liverpool	Rhesus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 11 —	Japan	Naoyetsu Maru	Jap.	S. Shokai
Apr. 11 —	Japan	Mikawa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr. 12 —	Hongkong	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 12 —	Hankow	Tsaangtah ?	Am.	C.I. & E.L. Co.
Apr. 12 —	River ports	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 13 —	Chinwangtao	Fukuichi Maru	Jap.	K. M. A.
Apr. 13 —	River ports	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 13 —	River ports	Nanyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Nichiren M.	Jap	M.B.K.
Apr. 14 —	Tsingtau	Yekishin Maru	Jap.	S. M. R. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Kwanglee	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Marseilles	Armand Behic	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Andrew Jackson	Br.	
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr. 14 —	.....	Palembang	Br.	A. P. Co.
Apr. 14 —	River ports	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 —	River ports	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 14 —	Chinwangtao	Shinon	Chi.	K. M. A.
Apr. 14 —	Swatow	Kashing	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Yueyingwa	Chi.	W. & Co.
Apr. 14 —	Antung	Kweilin	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Shikano M.	Jap.	M.S.K.
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	Hankow	Tseangtah	Br.	C.I.&E.L. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Hankow	Kaitsu Maru	Jap.	M. S. K.
Apr. 14 —	Tientsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.

Arrivals

Date	From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
Apr. 14 —	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Nichiren M.	Jap.	M.B.K.
Apr. 14 —	Tsingtau	Yekishin Maru	Jap.	S. M. R. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Kwanglee	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Marseilles	Armand Behic	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Andrew Jackson	Br.	
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr. 14 —	.....	Palembang	Br.	A. P. Co.
Apr. 14 —	River ports	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 —	River ports	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 14 —	Chinwangtao	Shinon	Chi.	K. M. A.
Apr. 14 —	Swatow	Kashing	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Yueyingwa	Chi.	W. & Co.
Apr. 14 —	Antung	Kweilin	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Shikano M.	Jap.	M.S.K.
Apr. 14 —	Hongkong	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	Hankow	Tseangtah	Br.	C.I.&E.L. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Hankow	Kaitsu Maru	Jap.	M. S. K.
Apr. 14 —	Tientsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.

Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Apr. 14 —	River ports	Tehhsing	Chi.	H.O.S.S. Co.
Apr. 14 —	River ports	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	River ports	Loongwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Apr. 14 —	Japan	Mishima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 14 —	Tientsin, ports	Koonshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 14 —	Tientsin, ports	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14 —	Manila	West Inskip	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Apr. 14 —	Miike	Santen Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Apr. 14 —	Hankow	Yenoura Maru	Jap.	M.S.K.
Apr. 14 —	Newchwang	Shawhsing	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co
Apr. 14 —	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hwahkuei	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 —	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are equal at noon and midnight).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
9h. 45m.	5ft. 11in.	10h. 10m.	7ft. 1in

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides),
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	A.M. M	P.M. H	P.M. M
8	25	8	54

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
2 52 a.m.	2 57 p.m.	5h. 34m.	6h. 27m.	4h. 49m.	7h. 12m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For April 30.00 in.
76.20 mm.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender Gutzlaff conveying passengers and mails on board the P. and O. s.s. Dilwara will leave the Customs jetty at 5 p.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the N.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 9 p.m.

Tuesday, April 20, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the N.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 11 a.m.

Wednesday, April 21, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the D.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk will leave the Customs jetty at 3 p.m.

Siccawei Weather Reports

13.—High pressures are invading N. China, from the region of L. Baikal; the Japanese anticyclone is steady; very smooth gradient in the S. with variable breezes and local calms. Fine or cloudy weather in North China, overcast, with fog at places, in the South.

14.—The weather clears up. Cold temperature and heavy daw. The pressure exceeds the average. Moderate N.N.E. breezes.

Shipping Items

The I-C. s.s. Kwongsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow next Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Yohyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hwahta left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Ichang left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Toan left Tsingtau for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Siangyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Tientsin and Chefoo tomorrow.

The M.M. freighter Lieut. de la Tour is expected to arrive at Singapore on April 30 and in Shanghai on May 12.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Upolu (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Monday.

The S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Dairen this morning and will sail for Tsingtau and Dairen Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock. The passenger tender will leave the Customs jetty at 9 o'clock this night.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Suwa Maru from Seattle, was expected to leave Nagasaki on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan left Newchwang for Chefoo and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming was expected to leave Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Haean left Wenchow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangtoo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching will leave Foochow for Shanghai on Saturday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Fusan Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Shinsei Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara will sail for Hongkong, Straits and Bombay tomorrow morning and the passenger tender will leave the Customs jetty at five o'clock this afternoon.

The M.M. s.s. Armand Behic, with the French mails of March 9, arrived in Shanghai from Marseilles and ports yesterday morning and will sail for Kobe and Yokohama this morning at eight o'clock.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Katori M. Apr. 16

For Europe
Per M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon Apr. 23

For United Kingdom
Per P. and O. s.s. Dilwara Apr. 15

For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo M. Apr. 16

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Suwa M. Apr. 15

From Europe
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Sado M. Apr. 17

From Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga M. Apr. 17

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangwah from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Essen, Mr. and Mrs. Commeade and child.

Per I-C. s.s. Luenho from Hankow: Messrs. Williams, Burn, Shearer.

Per M.M. s.s. Armand Behic from Marseilles: Mme. Ranffart, Mr. and Mrs. Sellin and child, Mr. and Mrs. Ratt, Mrs. Mamy, Mrs. Balay and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. W. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Sken and 4 children, Mrs. and Miss Randotz, Mrs. Hanbect and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Saleri, Messrs. G. Guerin, R. Moon, H. S. Ling, Marehatti, Je Seke Lou, D. Mohower, Dellier; from Port Said: Mr. L. Argentellis; from Singapore: Mrs. Roza von Buren and 2 children, Messrs. P. L. Han, Duang-Sing Zing; from Saigon: Mrs. Hana Morgriliof, Mr. Hanzo Tamaki: from Hongkong: Mrs. A. Jesus, Mr. and Mrs. Na Pjioe and child, R. P., L. P. A. Robert and Roger, Messrs. A. S. Jesus, Staklin.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow for Chefoo: Mrs. Goddard, Mr. Wang Shan and 2 children; for Tientsin: Sergt. A. Merienne, Sergt. A. Van den Eede, Adj. And Mrs. J. Buron, Lieut. de Prella de La Nieppo, Messrs. F. H. Pickwick, G. E. Osland-Hill, Paul Nijinsky, T. H. M. Connel.

Per C.N. s.s. Chungking for Hankow: Mr. Nass.

Per C.N. s.s. Sunning for Amoy: Mrs. F. W. Fowler, Mr. S. M. Elliott; for Hongkong: Lieut. Scott, Messrs. R. A. Donaldson, Digmanese, H. Bisseker.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsintah for Hongkong: Messrs. A. David, D. Toeg.

Vessels Due

Andre Lebon, *Japan*	Apr.	21
Chekiang, *Tientsin*	Apr.	17
Chenan, *Hongkong*	Apr.	22
Delight, *Seattle*	Apr.	20
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Apr.	18
Feiching, *Foochow*	Apr.	19
Hwahta, *Hankow*	Apr.	16
Hean, *Wenchow*	Apr.	15
Hsinming, *Tientsin*	Apr.	16
Hwahlee, *Hankow*	Apr.	21
Hsinfung, *Hankow*	Apr.	22
Ichang, *Hongkong*	Apr.	17
Kasuga Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	17
Kobe Maru, *Dairen*	Apr.	15
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Apr.	20
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	Apr.	18
Kwongsang, *Hongkong*	Apr.	17
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Apr.	17
Kutwo, *Hankow,*	Apr.	17
Klangteen, *Ningpo*	Apr.	15
Kumano Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	13
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Apr.	18
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	22
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Apr.	21
Poyang, *Hankow*	Apr.	17
Suwa Maru, *Seattle*	Apr.	15
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Apr.	19
Sinkiang, *Hongkong*	Apr.	19
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	15
Sado Maru, *London*	Apr.	17
Shengking, *Hankow*	Apr.	22
Tatung, *Hankow*	Apr.	15
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	18
Toonan, *Newchwang*	Apr.	16
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Apr.	21
West Jester, *Seattle*	Apr.	16
West Segovia, *Seattle*	Apr.	17
Woosung, *Hankow*	Apr.	15
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Apr.	16
Yingchow, *Hongkong*	Apr.	18
Yokohama Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	19

Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco		
Stanley Dollar	Mar.	13
Tenyo Maru	Mar.	14
West Sequana	Mar.	15
Ecuador	Mar.	23
West Harts	Mar.	27
Nanking	Mar.	29
China	Mar.	31
Shinyo Maru	Apr.	4
West Ira	Apr.	5
Satanta	Apr.	6
For Tacoma		
Africa Maru	Mar.	16
Abercos	Mar.	28
For Seattle		
Wheatland Montana	Mar.	17
Fushimi Maru	Mar.	21
Tajima Maru	Apr.	1
Elkton	Apr.	3
Miikesan Maru	Apr.	6
Hwahwu	Apr.	7
For Portland		
Abercos	Mar.	26
For Vancouver		
Empress of Russia	Mar.	14
Empress of Japan	Apr.	1
Monteagle	Apr.	3
Empress of Asia	Apr.	11
For New York		
Tottori Maru	Mar.	10
Melville Dollar	Mar.	19
Toyohashi Maru	Mar.	23
Winyah	Apr.	2
Gaelic Prince	Apr.	8
Amur Maru	Apr.	9
For London etc.		
Shidzuoka Maru	Mar.	15
Pembrokeshire	Mar.	17
Hyson	Mar.	20
Banca	Apr.	1
Kaga Maru	Apr.	1
Andes Maru	Apr.	6
Knight Companion	Apr.	7
Eurypylus	Apr.	9
Khiva	Apr.	13
For Liverpool		
Hector	Mar.	18
For Sabang (Netherland)		
Scotland Maru	Apr.	6
For Copenhagen		
Chile	Mar.	21
For Hamburg		
Dakar Maru	Apr.	3
For Marseilles		
Amazone	Mar.	10
Paul Lecat	Apr.	1
For Trieste		
Pilsna	Mar.	26
For Bombay		
Dunera	Mar.	13
For Calcutta		
Japan	Mar.	11
Madras	Mar.	29
Gregory Apcar	Apr.	8
For Saigon		
West Irmo	Mar.	23
For Singapore		
Methven	Mar.	18
For Java		
Tjibodas	Apr.	4
For Sydney		
Hwahping	Apr.	9

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The Chinese Benevolent Association

Honan Troops Break Loose And Rob Lutheran Mission; Twenty Of Them Executed

Soldiers Loot Single Workers' Home And Storm Girls' Middle School—Depredation Laid To Government's Failure To Pay Them

(China Press Correspondence)

Sinyang, Honan, April 7.—The suburbs of Sinyangchow were looted by some of Gen. Wu's troops Easter-day-eve. Constant rifle shooting continued all night and at 2 o'clock they entered the Lutheran Bible School single workers' house, where live Misses Anderson, Nelson and Sr. Christine Johnson, and also Dr. Distad and his family. Miss Anderson and Dr. Distad were encountered by them in the yard and bullets were sent whizzing about their ears. Entering the house the robbers smashed windows, trunks, satchels, etc., filling their pockets and gunnysacks with money, watches, furs, etc. Near this house, but separated by two walls, is another from which Revs. Edw. Sovik and T. Ekeland and families saw and heard the proceedings in the other house. These and three guests reached the hiding place agreed upon in record time, there waiting in a moment to hear the crash of doors and windows. Volley upon volley continued to be fired around the doors for four hours and a half. The gate was stormed twice but both times withstood the attack.

RELIEF AT DAYLIGHT

At daylight the shooting ceased. The situation was still precarious as the looters had 500 artillerymen as accomplices in the city and many more outside, while the Premier's brother, Chin, had only 500 men with which to hold the city. During the day 1,000 more of Chin's men arrived and hopes brightened. The desperate rumors repeatedly silenced all noises and quickened pulsebeats. Wednesday morning the missionaries could return to their premises, assured that security was restored. Gen. Wu's men were to receive $3,000 for not having joined their partners in looting; Gen. Chin's men were to receive $5,500 for not only refraining from looting but also for acting as protectors.

The looters seem to have left in two companies, one taking a north-easterly direction, the other going more directly eastward. However, some of them were caught and tonight the heads of about 20 of them decorate the city wall.

About 30 lives were taken the night of the looting.

GIRLS ESCAPE HARM

As souvenirs of the looters' visit to the girls' middle school there are a few holes through 8-in. brick walls and bullets were picked up on the floors inside of these walls. In some way Sr. C. Johnson succeeded in rushing the girls out of the buildings and into her residence, and again back to the school when the looters reached the house, so they escaped all harm.

Unless the government secures money to pay up the many months' wages due the soldiers the situation will be more threatening in the future. Looting is their time-honored method of collecting arrears and such looters are profligate of life. The highest official told us yesterday that these soldiers have repeatedly threatened looting of late, and that urgent requests for money had been sent to Peking without meeting any response. Under these circumstances foreigners living in the inland of China can only hope that the foreign embassies will consider ways and means of assisting the Chinese government in removing this serious danger.

SOLDIERS BREAK LOOSE

Yencheng, Honan, April 7.—One of the China Inland Missionaries left here for Sinyangchow yesterday morning. She reached this town in the South of the Province about 1 o'clock the same day. She was greatly surprised to find the station and the surrounding streets empty of people. On reaching the compound belonging to the American Lutheran Mission she heard what had happened.

Sunday the 4th had been a quiet day, and no one anticipated the storm that was brewing. About midnight one of the ladies was awakened with a loud knocking at the large front gate of the compound. She then learnt that Wu Kuang-sin's soldiers had broken loose and were looting the shops and houses outside the city. She dressed hurriedly and was in time to meet the band of soldiers who had already forced their way into the compound.

RANSACK THE MISSION

She confronted them bravely and asked what they wanted. They replied brusquely, "We want your money," they took off her ring and watch. Threatening to kill her if she did not comply with their wishes they followed her into the house prodding her with their guns. In the house they met Dr. Distad and his wife. These good people were immediately relieved of their eye glasses, rings, etc. They forced the doctor to hand over any money he had and ended by ransacking the whole house. All this time bullets were flying everywhere, quite a number of the local people were killed, and it was a marvel that the Missionaries escaped. One of the Generals in charge of the troops stationed here ordered the missionaries into the city for protection. The Missionaries returned to their homes today, but they had word privately that they might expect still further looting. Things are quiet here in Yencheng but the people all say how surprised they are that soldiers dare to molest the foreigners. Surely it is time our governments had something to say in these matters, or the soldiers will think they can do these things with impunity.

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